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TEN CENTS A WEEK

PAYNE TARIFF BILL PASSED BY HOUSE

Final Vote On Measure Stood 217 to 161—Petroleum Placed on Free List.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—After three weeks of consideration, the Payne tariff bill was passed by the House of Representatives last night by a vote of 217 to 161. One Republican, Austin, of Tennessee, voted against the measure, and four Democrats, all from Louisiana, voted for it. An attempt by Champ Clark, the minority leader, to recommit the bill, with instructions, signally failed.

The day was filled with excitement from the moment the session began at noon until the last minute.

While more consideration, in point of time, has been given by the House to the Payne bill, it was passed in fewer days than the Dingley bill was acted upon after being reported to the House. The Payne bill was introduced on March 17, reported to the House by the Ways and Means Committee on the following day, and was under general debate for sixteen days. On Monday of the present week the Rules Committee reported a special order, which closed the general discussion and provided for the consideration of the bill under the five-minute rule. Chairman Payne handled the bill on the floor and divided the time in such a way that only paragraphs affected by committee amendments and the amendments permitted by the special rule had been considered when the time to vote on the measure was reached.

The Dingley bill was under consideration in the House for two days longer than the Payne bill, but the House was not in session as long each day as during the consideration of the latter measure. All during the general debate on the Payne bill the House sat for ten and one-half hours each day, thus establishing a record for that body. Mr. Olmstead of Pennsylvania presided as chairman of the committee of the Whole House on the state of the union throughout the twenty days that were given to the bill.

Petroleum on Free List.

One of the principal changes effected in the Payne bill since its introduction was the placing of petroleum on the free list. This involved a more seriously contested fight than any of the other amendments. Speaker Cannon, during debate on the amendment to reduce the duty, took the floor in defense of the higher rate of duty. An amendment to place oil on the free list was carried.

Among the other important amendments that have been made since the

bill came from committee are those striking out the provision for a duty on tea and the countervailing duty proviso on coffee. The elimination of the maximum duty of 20 per cent on coffee, contained in the maximum and minimum section of the bill, was also significant.

To the free list were added evergreen seedlings, cloves and nut oil, which is used in making varnish. The patent law provision, intended to retaliate for the new British patent law, was stricken out on account of an international convention. The so-called "joker" in the cotton cloth schedule, which it was claimed would increase the duty of the Dingley bill several hundred per cent, was corrected, the proviso for the method of counting threads in the cloth being made the same as in the present law.

Union Label Wins Out.

The section restricting the contents of packages of tobacco was amended to conform with the present law in order that union labels may not be excluded from such packages. The drawback section was added to so that it could not be taken advantage of for the purpose of speculating in grain, and the Philippine free trade provision was amended so that the rice will not be admitted free from the islands. The countervailing duty clause on lumber was stricken out, but a strong effort to place lumber on the free list did not succeed.

The duties on barley, barley malt, charcoal iron, pineapples in crates, saccharine, medicated cotton and cotton collars and cuffs as originally in the bill, were increased. To retaliate against Turkey, which country prohibits the importation of American filler tobacco, a provision was included in the tobacco schedule increasing the duty on filler tobacco from any country which prohibits the importation of the American tobacco.

The internal revenue laws were also amended so that raisers of tobacco will not have to pay a manufacturers' license in order to dispose of leaf tobacco.

There were several technical changes in the steel schedule, principally downward, and lace machinery and netting machines were included in the proviso which permits the entry free of duty of lace machinery prior to May 1, 1910. Hides, hosiery and gloves were left as reported by the committee, hides remaining free and increased duty being presented for gloves and stockings.

JUDGE CARTER SPEAKS OF THE COMMITTEES

WAS HONORED AS CHAIRMAN OF EDUCATIONAL COMMITTEE.

Certainly a Very Fine Appointment
Just At the Present Time
for Gainesville.

Judge Syd L. Carter, one of the valued Representatives to the Legislature from this county, was in the city Saturday, having come down on some important business matters. The Legislature adjourned Friday in order to give the committees an opportunity to meet and prepare for work.

In speaking of the matter he stated that Alachua county was favored well in the make-up of the House committees. Judge Carter was made chairman of the Educational Committee, one of the most important at all times and especially so at this session. He was also given a place on the Appropriation Committee and named second on the first division of the Judicial Committee, was also assigned to the Committee on Constitutional Amendments, the committee that will have under consideration the bill for State-wide prohibition, and is on the Elections Committee.

The Alachua members are all well located, the seat of Judge Carter being one of the most desirable in the House. Mr. Duke's committee assignments are as follows: Banks, legislative expenses, claims (a very important one), agriculture and insurance.

Judge Carter states that Senator McCreary and Representative Duke are active and alert in looking after the interests of their constituents.

Many matters of vital importance to the State will engage the attention of this session of the Legislature, among these being pensions, prohibition, schools, Wailes claim, Indian war claims, etc.

MOVING TO NEW HOME.

Masons Installing Furniture and Paraphernalia in New Quarters.

The Masons of Gainesville now have charge of their new quarters and for the past couple of days have been busy in moving the old furniture and paraphernalia. Besides this they have received in the neighborhood of two cars of the very latest and finest made, which has been installed and their new home is one of the most complete lodge-rooms in the entire State.

The first meeting will occur there during the coming week, and the members are now making grand preparations for the dedication of the building, which will occur on April 28th. The committee on the program are busy at work and will soon announce the same. The greater part of the services will be public.

Special Prayer Service.

The leaders of the Anti-Saloon League and the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of the State have appointed Sunday, April 11th, to be especially observed as a day of fasting and prayer for the ultimate success of the State prohibition measure in Florida.

Because of this fact there will be a temperance prayer meeting held at the W. C. T. U. room, 197 W. Court street, this (Sunday) afternoon, from 2:15 to 3:15 o'clock.

Any who are interested in this great cause are cordially invited to attend.

him. He confessed the details of his murder of the guard and took his captors to the woods, where the dead negro was lying. He was taken to Perry and put in jail. He will probably be tried for murder.

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FAMILY PLUMS ARE A THING OF THE PAST

Lower House of Florida Legislature Votes to Cut Off Relatives of Members From Clerkships.

TALLAHASSEE, Fla., April 10.—After a heated debate in the lower House of the Legislature, a resolution was passed yesterday which knocked the "family plums" out of business.

By a vote of 31 to 27 the House decided that no clerks shall be appointed who are relatives of members of the House down to the third cousin. With the passage of the resolution the hopes of a small army of would-be clerks, relatives of the members, went up in the air.

A bill prohibiting the sale or giving away of narcotics was introduced in the Senate by Senator Sloan of Lakeland.

Mr. Harris of Key West introduced a bill in the Senate authorizing the State Board of Health to secure a State tuberculosis sanitarium.

Senator Massey of Orlando introduced a bill providing for summer training schools for teachers.

Congress is asked to make an ap

propriation of \$1,000,000 for the improvement of the public highways in a resolution adopted by the House.

Committee appointments were announced by Speaker Farris yesterday afternoon, and as was expected, W. A. MacWilliams of St. Johns was named chairman of one of the Judiciary Committees and J. N. Calkins of Nassau county the other.

Two Judiciary Committees are appointed this session for the purpose of expediting the handling of business. During the Speakership fight MacWilliams withdrew, and his support went to Farris, for which it was then understood he would get the chairmanship of the important committee.

Adjournment was taken until Monday afternoon.

If its worth more to someone else than to you—no matter what it is—a want ad. will be a good investment.

Former Secretary Hitchcock Dies at Washington

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 10.—Ethan Allen Hitchcock, Secretary of the Interior under Presidents McKinley and Roosevelt, died here yesterday morning at 11 o'clock, aged 74 years. He had been critically ill for several days and his death was not unexpected.

Mr. Hitchcock had been ill for some weeks. He contracted a severe cold while in the West and as his condition became more serious he hurried to Washington to place himself in the hands of specialists, who had attended him during his official career here. He suffered from a complication of kidney, heart and pulmonary diseases.

His passing marked the close of a career whose pre-eminent feature was an administration of the Interior Department that stirred the Western land problems as never before. Brought here from St. Petersburg where he had served as ambassador under an appointment of President McKinley, Mr. Hitchcock was almost

immediately plunged into a vortex of complications growing out of vast frauds and charges of fraud and counter-charges growing out of the acquisition of public lands in the Western States. Mr. Hitchcock directed the most sweeping investigation, arousing the enmity of powerful political interests.

Mr. Hitchcock has had a varied career. He was born in Alabama and was educated in Tennessee and Connecticut. After leaving school, in 1855, he began his business career in St. Louis and then went into the commission business in China. Returning to the United States in 1874, he became interested in railway, mining and manufacturing enterprises and acquired considerable means. In 1897 President McKinley sent him to Russia as ambassador and the next year brought him home to be Secretary of the Interior. He was reappointed by President Roosevelt in 1901 and resigned on March 4, 1907.

DIED FROM WOUNDS.

Lingered for Nearly Three Weeks in Much Pain.

Mrs. Mary Harris, the lady of Hague who was so badly injured by being burned at her home about four weeks since, died from the effects of her wounds.

It will be remembered that her dress caught fire while the lady was engaged in burning a pile of trash and she was burned from head to feet, but under the skillful treatment of a phy-

sician it was thought she would recover.

Before her death the flesh peeled off where the burns were inflicted and she suffered untold agony during the time, remaining in bed over three weeks before death came to relieve her sufferings.

The regular annual quarantine against infected ports is on at Pensacola.

A band of seven negro burglars was arrested in Pensacola last week.

Negro's Love of 'Possum Was Cause of His Death

QUITMAN, Ga., April 10.—A negro guard who thought he was going to get a \$5 reward for conveying an escaped convict back to a Florida turpentine camp, got a bullet in his back instead and lost his life.

The escaped convict was a negro who got away from the turpentine camp of A. J. Condy, across the Florida line near Perry. He turned up shortly after his escape at the Malloy turpentine camp some miles from Condy's. The latter was notified that the convict was being detained at Malloy's and he offered \$5 for his return. A negro guard, one of the best at Malloy's, asked to take the convict back and get the reward.

The two negroes started on foot

and while on the way the guard's dog treed a possum. With the 'possum before him the guard forgot the \$5. He decided they should catch the 'possum and in the excitement of the capture he grew careless and set his gun down. His prisoner seized it and shot him dead and left him in the woods.

As the negroes did not show up at either camp, it was thought both of them had run away. A few days later Mr. Malloy was coming up to Quitman on a South Georgia railway train and looking out the window saw the escaped convict walking along the track. He got the conductor to stop the train. The negro began to run but Mr. Malloy and others caught

TESTS FROM THE EXPERIMENT STATION

MEMBERS OF STAFF ARE BUSY
WITH EXPERIMENTS.

Number of Tests of Much Importance
to the State Are Being
Conducted.

The Plant Pathologist, Prof. H. S. Vreeth, has been studying the scaly of the orange, on the West Coast Florida, and has devised remedies. He has lately found a microscopic fungus which he considers as probably the cause of the disease. With regard to the scab of the sour orange lemon, he has scientifically proved culture and infection experiments. A certain fungus is alone responsible for the disease; and he is working to discover the life history of this fungus, especially with regard to how it lives over from one year to the next. More work has been done on the gum disease of citrus and the black spotting of the orange and grapefruit, together with the shark-skin of the grapefruit, are being investigated.

The camphor being a promising tree planting in Florida, the Pathologist is at present investigating the fungus which causes young camphor seedlings to damp off. Another line of work has been commenced, namely the study of the fungus diseases of peach in Florida. The twig blight of the peach, whose nature is not yet understood, is also being worked out. A new fungus which kills the peach has lately been found, together with two or perhaps three other fungi which kill scale insects. These are apparently new to Florida. Specimens of fungus diseases of vegetables, etc., have been sent by growers or fruit-growers, and these have been identified and the proper remedies recommended.

In the laboratory for Plant Physiology, Mr. B. F. Floyd has been making a microscopical study of the roots, stems and leaves of healthy orange trees, comparing such healthy tissues with those of orange trees diseased with die-back, freckling, melanose, yellow-spotting. He has identified four enzymes in the branches of healthy orange trees, and has made a study of the nature of the gums which appear in such diseases as die-back, yellow-spotting and melanose. The fact that no such thorough and detailed studies have been made heretofore, probably accounts for the lack of progress in the practical prevention and curing of these diseases. The pathologist is also ascertaining the minimum amount of fertilizers that orange trees will stand without injury. The disease of cassava which causes loss of leaf-color and a dropping of leaves, popularly known as freckling, has been ascertained to be due to a fungus (*Fusarium*). Fifty large cassava trees diseased with die-back have been inoculated with copper sulfate (bluestone) under the bark. The results, so far, show a slight improvement but no benefit.

The Animal Industrialist, Prof. John Scott, is carrying on a feeding test of Florida-grown feeds, using grade hogs, to determine the cost of producing beef in Florida. The ration is composed of corn, velvet beans, sweet potatoes, and Japanese millet, which gives satisfactory results. An experiment is in progress to determine the comparative value of velvet beans and cottonseed meal for pig production. The velvet beans and cottonseed meal are fed along with bran and sorghum silage. This is a continuation of the dairy experiment made during 1907 and 1908.

In co-operation with Mr. A. L. Jackson of Gainesville, an experiment is in progress in grading up cattle and using the Shorthorn and Hereford breeds for use in improving the native Florida stock. Forage crops are being tested to determine the amounts that can be raised and their cost for fattening animals. The following have been grown this year: Japanese cane, sorghum, Natal grass, Guinea grass, timothy, grass, Lyon bean, velvet bean, cowpea, soy bean, Kudzu vine, peas, sweet potatoes, cassava and yam.

The Lyon bean has been found to be equal in yield to the velvet bean, but feeding tests of it have not yet been made. The Kudzu vine from chemical analysis appears to have a higher feeding value than sorghum.

H. W. Berger, the Entomologist,

with the assistance of Mr. E. P. Green, has prepared a large number of dishes, bottles and tubes, containing sterilized sweet potato, on which a plentiful supply of the red fungus of the whitefly (red *Ascheronia*) is growing from spores sown there. It is intended to use this artificially grown fungus for spore-spraying during this spring. The study of the whitefly has lately shown that there are two different species which are differently affected by the different fungi, so that it is important for each orange grower to know which species he has in his grove. At Titusville, for instance, the yellow fungus is destroying the smoky whitefly. The Entomologist tried the spore-spraying method last September and October with fair success; and has traveled about 3500 miles, and experimentally sprayed fungi in many orange groves since last July.

In the Botanical Department, Mr. R. Y. Winters is making a thorough botanical study of the velvet bean, the Lyon bean, and fourteen other related beans, many of which are unknown in the markets, but may be found useful in Florida. They are being grown in the field and studied as to their botanical characters, and by cross breeding. Selections are also being made from the Salamander Improved lettuce, to obtain a new strain resistant to lettuce drop (damping off).

Fifty-five varieties of tomatoes and eight varieties of egg-plants are being tested in the horticultural grounds. Pigeon peas and several varieties of English peas are also being tried.

"TRADES EXTRAVAGANZA."

A Forthcoming Event Anxiously Anticipated.

(Contributed.)

Much interest is being shown among all classes of business circles and society in the forthcoming "Trades Extravaganza" in which, for commercial reasons as well as social, the entire population of Gainesville is exhibiting unusual interest.

When the curtain rises on the grand march wherein a half hundred of our city's youth, fair maidens and handsome ladies participate, each costume in accord with the various lines of wares represented, presents one of the most inspiring scenes ever presented on a Gainesville stage.

Every jingle, every song, every scene or stage setting is an advertisement.

To mention all the vaudeville numbers would require far too much space, but every one vies with the other in points of interest, and to say the whole affair is novel, new, and replete with the humorous, artistic and snappy, would even then convey but a slight idea of what this extravaganza really is; so the best plan is to buy your ticket for Wednesday night, April 14th, and you will not be disappointed.

Mr. Arnow's Reply.

Gainesville, Fla., April 10, 1909.

To the Editor of The Elevator—In your issue of the 8th inst. appears an article in the editorial column, in reference to candidates for Marshal, at the coming city election, which I, as a candidate, can answer without hesitancy.

In regard to "blind tigers" and other violators of the law: If I am elected to the office of City Marshal, I propose to do my whole duty without fear or favor of or toward any person or class of persons, and I pledge my honor to be diligent and watchful at all times to see that every official duty of the office is faithfully discharged.

Thankful for past favors, I respectfully solicit the support of every person who is in favor of good government. Very respectfully,

BEN T. ARNOW.

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LITTLE OPPOSITION ON THE CITY TICKET

ONLY THREE OFFICES TO BE
CONTESTED TUESDAY.

Interest Is Mainly in Marshal Race
But Very Little Discussion
Is Heard.

The city election, which started off with much vigor and vim and promised to be very interesting, has dwindled down to where it is little more than a conventional affair.

There is only one office on the entire ticket that is receiving any attention of the public, that being the marshalship.

Both candidates for marshal have been hard at work, and they will go into the contest on Tuesday morning each confident of election.

Two candidates have been announced for the position of mayor, but neither seem to be active after getting the office and practically no canvass has been indulged in up to the present time.

Following is the list of candidates to be voted for and all qualified voters should avail themselves of the opportunity and vote for their choice:

For Mayor—S. J. Burnett, Horatio Davis.

For Marshal—B. T. Arnow, C. C. Warren.

For Assessor—W. M. Bradford, B. R. Colson.

For Collector—T. B. Ellis, Sr.

For Clerk and Treasurer—J. M. Dell.

For Aldermen—C. A. Colclough, J. A. Goodwin, H. L. Phifer and W. T. Pound.

Member Board of Public Works—H. E. Taylor.

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All rejoice in the fact that this grand palatial store is conducted on such liberal lines that a child can trade as well as its parents. Do we realize our opportunity? Most of us do—we should. There you find the highest grade of merchandise on their counters at New York or less prices. The latest productions and the fashions of the world are here produced, and all at economy prices.

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One-Quarter of a Pound a Week

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THE CLOSING DAY OF GREAT REVIVAL

SONG SERVICE AT TABERNACLE
WILL PROVE INTERESTING.

Special Services Will Be Held at the
Various Churches for Today.
Large Congregations Expected.

Last night's congregation at the Baptist church was good for Saturday night. One young lady was received and baptized at this service. The sermon was fine and singing up to the usual very high standard.

Pastor Rogers and people look for a great day's service today, and it is safe to predict the speaker and singers will be honored by large and appreciative congregations at all services.

Dr. Martin has proven himself a great Bible teacher and the great truths he has presented from time to time will last beyond this life.

Mr. and Mrs. Schofield have won the heart of everyone who has heard them. It is a great pity two such people as these cannot make their permanent home among us. Every city needs just such people. May we not hope they will come again.

At the Churches.

First Baptist Church, Rev. S. B. Rogers—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Sunday school mass meeting 10 o'clock conducted by Rev. T. T. Martin. Preaching, 10:30 a. m., by Rev. Mr. Martin; special song service by Mr. and Mrs. Schofield. Junior Union 2:30 p. m. At 3:30 there will be a great gospel mass meeting and song service at the Tabernacle. At 7:30 p. m. the last of the series of services in progress at this church will be held at Tabernacle. The entire city are requested to join us in this service and pay the speaker and singers the great compliment they so richly merit.

Holy Trinity Church, Rev. F. H. Craighill—Easter Sunday—This morning there will be a celebration of the holy communion at 7 a. m. and a second celebration at 10:30 a. m. at which service Rt. Rev. Edwin G. Weed, D. D., Bishop of Florida, will be the preacher. At 4 p. m., the annual Easter service for the Sunday school will be held, at which the

children, according to their annual custom, sing carols, bring in the mite boxes containing their Lenten offering for missions and build a floral cross. At 7:30 p. m. Bishop Weed will preach and administer the Apostolic rite of confirmation.

First Presbyterian Church, Rev. T. P. Hay—Morning service 10:30; subject, "One of God's Woes and How to Escape It." 3:30 p. m., Sabbath school; lesson topic, "Peter Delivered from Prison." No evening service account Evangelistic mass meeting.

Advent Christian Church, Elder J. T. Johnson—Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Subject for morning, "Stones and Resurrections." Subject for night, "The Two Resurrections." Young people's meeting at 7 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. All cordially invited.

First Methodist Church, Rev. F. R. Bridges—Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. League 3:30 p. m.

St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Rev. P. J. Lynch—Mass will be held at 10 a. m. Devotion of the Holy Rosary at 4 p. m.

SANITARIUM NOTES

H. H. King of Morriston is improving rapidly, and will be able to return to his home in a short while.

The little infant of Mr. and Mrs. Williams of Micanopy is now much better.

C. B. Hodges of High Springs, who underwent a serious operation at the Sanitarium the first of the week, is now entirely out of danger, and will be up in a few days.

Every effort is being made to save the foot of R. E. L. Robinson, the popular A. C. L. road-master. While on duty near Rochelle, Mr. Robinson had the misfortune to have his ankle crushed and lacerated by a heavy piece of railroad iron. He was sent at once to the Sanitarium for immediate attention. Such cases as this illustrate in a forcible manner the absolute necessity of such an institution in the city. Within fifteen minutes after Mr. Robinson arrived in the city he was in the operating room receiving the care of physicians and trained assistants. Without such an institution as the Sanitarium, such prompt and effective care in these emergencies would be out of the question.

Miss P. R. Lane of Floral City, accompanied by her attending physician, Dr. Bishop of Morriston, arrived Wednesday, Dr. Bishop returning to his home the following day.

Mrs. Ella Van Cise and her daughter, Mrs. King, of New York, were visitors to the Sanitarium Friday. Mrs. Van Cise is interested in the Sanitarium as a stockholder, and expressed herself as being very much pleased with the way the affairs of the institution are being conducted.

The stock of the Sanitarium has not all been subscribed for yet, and all friends of the institution who are willing to take a few shares of this stock, and have not already done so are requested to communicate with Dr. Hodges.

LETTER TO J. O. ANDREWS & SON,

Gainesville, Florida.

Dear Sir: North Dakota has a pure paint law and is branding the paint manufacturers. Factory show ours to him gets the hot seat.

Almost half of his "oil" is kerosene and water; more than half of his "pigment" is whiting tar and such.

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Is that what paint is for: not to do much harm? Do you pay \$5 a gallon for paint and putting it on, not to do much harm?

The lead, zinc and oil in that "paint" is a little less than half and the trash is a little more than half.

How many gallons, half paint and half paint, will it take to paint a 10-gallon job two coats? how many coats, half trash and half paint, will it take to cover? and what'll become of those pigments not paint?

And reckon the cost: you can roughly. Half trash, 20 gallons, \$5 a gallon, \$100; 10 gallons Devco, \$50. A gallon of trash or paint put on is \$5.

There's one Devco; there are eight pure paints; and over 200 adulterated and 100 short-measure. Yours truly,

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Send this advertisement, together with name of paper in which it appears, your address and four cents to cover postage, and we will send you a "Complete Handy Atlas of the World" FREE.

SPECIAL LOT SALE.

Watson Realty Company Will Have Matter in Charge.

We call attention to the ad. in this issue of The Watson Realty Company, "the people that sell a lot a minute."

They will hold two auction sales of real estate in Gainesville on Wednesday, the 14th. The first sale will be in the morning at 10:30 at which time they will sell 50 lots in the subdivision known as Westfield. This tract of land is especially desirable as an investment, as the lots are large enough to put two houses on, and the rents from them will more than take care of the payments on the lot besides making an ideal investment. This property is especially for colored and we hope a large number of the colored citizens will avail themselves of the opportunity to buy these lots at their own price. The white buyer knows a good thing when he sees it and will be there in numbers to take advantage of the low prices.

The afternoon sale will be at 3:30 on the property known as College Park, which lies immediately in front of the University, and will be sold to white people only. Ladies are especially invited to be present, and by telephoning 134 a carriage will call for them without charge.

The above sales will be strictly "on the square" and every lot offered will be sold regardless of price.

Handsome silver souvenirs will be given away during both sales. These souvenirs are on display in the windows of Bodiford's drug store. The methods used in selling by The Watson Realty Company are novel and unique and they ask you to come out and see them work. Spectators given as much courtesy and attention as buyers.

BURKHIM'S CONTEST.

High School Makes Handsome Gain the Past Week.

Friends of the High School are now working with a vim and the vote cast for them during the past week shows that they have gotten down to business in soliciting for their favorite. During the week just closed they have made a handsome gain over their standing while the members of the band have also put in some hard ticks, pulling up a nice lot of votes for the band.

Following is the result as counted last night:

High School	151,445
Miss Ellis (band)	133,772
Capt. ALBRIGHT	99,515
Maudie Cannon	12,895
Sallie Beville	6,340
Miss Shands	3,490
Anita Groff, Newberry	2,400
Mary Fernandez	409
J. W. Gleason	175
Flossie Graves	12
Emma Lee Hudson	105

L. J. BURKHIM.

Our Advertisers.

Attention is directed to the large and interesting advertisements of the progressive firms of R. Wilson, Gainesville National Bank, Dutton Bank, First National Bank, L. J. Burkheim, L. C. Smith and others who have assisted us in making today's issue live and interesting with good advertising. They are worthy of your patronage.

CHILDREN WHO ARE SICKLY

Mothers who value their own comfort and the welfare of their children, should never be without a box of Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, for use throughout the season. They Break up Colds, Cure Feverishness, Constipation, Teething Disorders, Headache and Stomach Troubles. THESE POWDERS NEVER FAIL. Sold by all Drug Stores. Do not accept any substitute. A trial package will be sent FREE to any mother who will address Ales S. Olmstead, Le Roy, N. Y.

NO CHANGE MADE BY LEADERS SATURDAY

MISS ELLIS CONTINUES TO GAIN
IN CONTEST.

Thursday Will Be the Closing Day
of the Piano Contest Conducted
by The Sun.

The piano contest which has been conducted by this paper for the past four months is now on its last week. For the next few days many votes will be cast. Don't forget the places that will give you votes—Gainesville Hardware Co., Phifer Brothers, Hyde & Tench and The Sun. Read advertisement for full particulars.

Lately some of the coupons taken from the paper have been coming in very roughly trimmed and votes from the different merchants folded as small as possible. As the last few days will be heavy it would be much appreciated by the management of this paper if all who cast the votes will see that they are trimmed as neatly as possible and not folded any more than is necessary to get the votes in the ballot box.

Following is the standing of the candidates.

Miss Dorian Ellis, city	1,894,280
Miss Bessie Dupree, city	1,882,845
Miss Catherine Halle, city	1,304,485
Miss Florrie Strickland	699,100
Miss M. Daughtrey, city	243,015
Miss Mary McCormick, city	121,675
Miss Mabel Sanchez, city	88,630
Miss Nannie Dickinson, city	87,725
Miss Alma Fennell, city	85,000
Miss Julia Carter, city	70,810
Miss A. Groff, Newberry	39,060
Miss A. Strickland, Waldo	35,065
Miss Jessie Evans, city	34,230
Miss Estelle Beal, city	33,880
Miss Emma Hudson, city	26,960
Miss Annie Beville	22,890
Miss Elvena Staf, Waldo	22,590
Mrs. I. Ware, High Springs	15,505
Miss Goldie Lambert, city	6,470
Miss Lizzie Sheppard, Bell	6,005
Miss K. Carlton, Micanopy	5,590
Mrs. A. W. Sargent, city	5,565
Miss M. Fernandez, city	4,265
Miss Mary Thigpin, city	3,850
Miss L. Sanders, Hawthorn	3,650
Miss Ruby Albright	3,100

Warren Replies.

Editor Sun: My attention has been called to an article appearing in the weekly paper, and as there is not another issue of it before election, I ask that you allow me to reply to it through your columns as follows:

I have served the city before as policeman and have ever been found on the side enforcing the laws as they appear on the books, and the general public need have no fear that if I am honored with the office I will attend to it, and give it my full time and attention, dealing with the "tigers" and "crap shooters" as the law directs. Yours very truly,

C. C. WARREN.

Gainesville, Fla., April 10, 1909.

A Hurry-Up Medicine.

Every housekeeper recognizes the need of effective remedies to be used in emergencies—when something must be done right away. Such a remedy is Perry Davis' Painkiller, for sprains and bruises, for strained muscles and for the aches and pains resulting from blows and falls. Burns and cuts are instantly relieved by it and helped to healing. Its mission of mercy began seventy years ago. It is used in all countries and millions of bottles are sold annually. There is but one Painkiller, Perry Davis'. Have you seen the new large 35c size?

If you have found anything see if it is advertised in the Want column.

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See our samples.

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\$6,000 High Springs 6 per cent 1921 at 100.
\$10,000 Jacksonville 5 per cent 1924 at 109½.
\$11,500 Jacksonville 5 per cent 1926 at 112½.
\$10,000 Lake City 5 per cent due 1935 at 101.
\$8,500 Jax. Electric Co. 5 per cent 1927 at 98½.
\$2,500 Monroe County, Fla., 5 per cent due 1910-25 at 97½.
(Accrued interest to be added.)

We have for sale all the leading bank stocks throughout the State. Ask for quotations and general information.

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Are you of the number who are afraid that there is some defect in their titles, and with that for an excuse refuse to have an Abstract of Title? Send for our FREE booklet on "The Title Question." None are so blind as they who will not see. We have the information on YOUR title. —CONSULT US—

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Mr. Roosevelt's trip will bring a dollar-a-word closer to America.

The first week of the legislative session has passed—but there are big ones left.

She wants to spend \$100,000,000 on a navy. She has evidently been responding with the ex-President.

Mr. Harriman declares he is now a new man, but his adversaries will continue to watch him in the same way.

Despite the pleadings of thousands of women, the Payne tariff bill was passed by the House without a reduction in the schedule embracing hosiery gloves, but, to the contrary, the bill on these articles was "revised."

Florida's great daily, The Times-Sun, is fortunate in having the able and versatile J. Ira Gore at Gainesville during the session of the legislature. His reports of the legislative proceedings are full and complete and are proving a distinctive feature of the paper.

The Perry Herald says: "Governor Christ recommends in his message to the Legislature that a law be passed forbidding any Governor from being elected to Congress or the U. S. Senate," and adds, "This appears unnecessary in view of the experience of two recent Governors."

The bill introduced by Senator Williams of Levy county at Thursday's session of the Senate provides that shall be unlawful for white persons to attend gatherings of colored persons and vice versa. This causes Jacksonville Metropolis to ask what is to become of the circus if the bill should become a law?

Sheriff Van Pelt of Escambia county has been warned in a letter to use extreme caution on "pain of death" in robbing the recent lynching at Pensacola. The letter was signed "A. J. and," and stated that a certain less character who assisted in the two lynchings thinks the sheriff too active in regard to these affairs.

The Sun today contains special announcements of a number of Gainesville's enterprising business houses, requests a careful perusal of each every reader of the paper. Progressive merchants make a progress, and many have long since become convinced that the judicious use of newspaper space is the principal factor in making closer the relations between the store and the public.

Mayor Stoy of Atlantic City has ordered that the sand-modeled Venuses and Salomes that the peripatetic artists are wont to model on the beach or the board walk shall be properly clothed in sand-made tunics and other peries, or the artists will be pinched by the police, says The Savannah News. The call for more extended peries, it seems, includes only the areas of sand. Undraped figures on sand are all right.

EDITORIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

TALLAHASSEE, April 10.—Both houses of the Legislature adjourned from Friday to Monday, and with many of the members either at their homes or in Jacksonville for the brief recess Tallahassee is very quiet today and both home people and visitors are preparing for Easter Sunday tomorrow. As usual, during the legislative session, the churches resting among the old red hills of Leon will be crowded and the sermons more than usually impressive.

Both houses are now organized, the committees named, the preliminary routine accomplished and the Florida Legislature of 1909 is ready to settle down to real business and earnest work on Monday.

Already numerous bills have been introduced and referred to proper committees, many of these bills being of far-reaching importance, while others are purely of a local nature. Already the Legislature has gone on record as favoring economy of the strictest sort and if preliminary indications can be relied upon this Legislature will, in this respect at least, leave an excellent record behind it.

Alachua county fared very well indeed in committee appointments. Judge Carter has been made chairman of the Committee on Education, and is also a member of the Committees on Judiciary and Constitutional Amendments. Hon. T. A. Doke has been assigned to the Committee on Claims, Agriculture and Legislative Expense. Senator McCreary is chairman of the Senate Committee on Mining and Mineral Resources, and is also a member of the Committees on County Organization, Indian Affairs and Public Health.

The Alachua delegation have already introduced several bills to say nothing of others in course of preparation. The House bill introduced by Mr. Doke, relative to school books, the companion bill to that introduced by Senator McCreary in the other branch of the Legislature, has been referred to the Committee on Elections and has already provoked quite a fair amount of interest. The delegation are now all comfortably settled at their different boarding-houses and are all in good trim to look out for the interests of their Alachua county constituents. Senator McCreary and son, Elmer, who is the messenger of the Senate, are located at Mrs. Greenhow's on Monroe street, where Mrs. McCreary will join them about the 20th.

The State Board of Control is scheduled to meet in Tallahassee today and an important session is probable.

There is still more county division talk in the air. Senator Hudson yesterday introduced a bill creating the new county of Palm Beach. This is the proposed new county which the press of the State has generally suggested be named after Mr. Flagler. There is also talk of another new county made from a slice of both Marion and Sumter. As both the Senator and Representative from the proposed new county are opposed to the measure, and very strongly so, there is of course no chance for success. It is said should the new county be formed, at some time in the future Wildwood would be made the county seat.

The first oratorical guns of the prohibition legislation will be fired on Thursday, the 15th, at 11 a. m. On motion of Senator Beard yesterday Senate Bill No. 15 was withdrawn from the further consideration of the Committee on Temperance and made the special order for the day and hour mentioned. This provides for State-wide prohibition by legislative enactment, the Senator claiming in effect that an amendment to the constitution to arrive at the ends desired is not absolutely necessary.

Governor Gilchrist has decided on the evening of Thursday, April 22, as the date upon which the usual Governor's reception will be tendered the members of the Legislature and distinguished visitors.

Admiral Schley, who achieved great fame when he engineered the destruction of Cervera's fleet at Santiago during the late war with Spain, upon the latter's death pays him this tribute: "Cervera undertook the only course left to him, and he acted as wisely as any other could have done under the circumstances. It was a case of measuring his strength with that of the enemy, and he lost, losing all save his honor."

If you have lost or found anything do not fail to keep your eye on the classified advertising column.

THE S. A. L. DEPOT.

The following order has been made by the State Railroad Commission in the matter of the construction of a new depot at Gainesville by the Seaboard railway:

"Order No. 270—Before the Railroad Commissioners of the State of Florida.

"In the matter of the petition relative to the construction of a passenger depot at Gainesville, Florida, a station on the line of the Seaboard Air Line railway.

"The Receivers of the Seaboard Air Line railway, by Hon. George P. Raney, division counsel, having applied to us for an extension of the time fixed in Order No. 261, dated February 20, 1909, for beginning and completing a new passenger depot at Gainesville, Florida; and it appearing that the depot ordered by us requires the making of new plans and procuring new bids, it is ordered that the said Receivers shall have sixty days from the date of this order in which to begin work on the said passenger depot, and that the same shall be completed within four months from the same date, and Order No. 261 is thus modified, but otherwise confirmed in all other respects. Blue prints of said depot shall be submitted to us before work is begun.

"Ordered in open session at our office, in the city of Tallahassee, this 7th day of April, A. D. 1909.

"R. HUDSON BURR, Chairman.

"Attest: S. E. COBB, Secretary."

The original order in the above matter required the railroad company to commence the work of construction of a new depot within thirty days and complete the same within sixty days, but after further consideration of the matter the above extension of time was granted. This delay has been brought about on account of the railroad being in the hands of receivers. The delay is to be regretted, but it will result in the erection of a much better depot building than was first contemplated, and the public will be the gainers in the long run. No further delay will be tolerated by the Commission, and our people can now rest assured that we will have a new passenger depot at the S. A. L. station within the next four months.

Rheumatism.

More than nine out of every ten cases of rheumatism are simply rheumatism of the muscles, due to cold or damp, or chronic rheumatism. In such cases no internal treatment is required. The free application of Chamberlain's Liniment is all that is needed, and it is certain to give quick relief. Give it a trial and see for yourself how quickly it relieves the pain and soreness. The medicines usually given internally for rheumatism are poisonous or very strong medicines. They are worse than useless in cases of chronic and muscular rheumatism. For sale by all druggists.

The steamship Goldsboro sailed on her maiden trip from Jacksonville to Havana Thursday with a full cargo. The company was recently organized in Jacksonville and bids fair to be a financial success from the beginning.

Read the want ads. in today's Sun

THE PEOPLE ALL

In Chorus Cried, Give Us Newbro's Herpicide.

This word of late has been in everyone's mouth, and many are wondering what the word signifies, though no one has yet been found, who will deny that NEWBRO'S HERPICIDE does the work. Well, for the information of thousands of people who like to know all about a good thing, we would say that HERPICIDE means, a destroyer or killer of "Herpes." Now "Herpes" is the family name of a disease caused by various vegetable parasites. A similar microbe causes dandruff, itching scalp, and falling hair; this is the microbe that NEWBRO'S HERPICIDE promptly destroys; after which the hair grows. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

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"I was much afflicted with rheumatism," writes Ed. C. Nad, Iowa, Sedgwick Co., Kansas, "going about on crutches and suffering a great deal of pain. I was induced to try Ballard's Snow Liniment, which cured me, after using three 50c bottles. IT IS THE GREATEST LINIMENT I EVER USED; have recommended it to a number of persons, all express themselves as being benefited by it. I now walk without crutches, and am able to perform a great deal of light labor on the farm."

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10:10 p. m.	Lv. Waycross, A. C. L.	9:50 p. m.
12:25 a. m.	Lv. Tifton, G. S. & F.	11:57 p. m.
3:25 a. m.	Ar. Macon, C. of Ga.	4:50 a. m.
6:30 a. m.	Ar. Atlanta, C. of Ga.	8:55 a. m.
10:45 a. m.	Ar. Chattanooga, W. & A.	
3:20 p. m.	Ar. Nashville, N. C. & St. L.	
7:30 a. m.	Ar. St. Louis, I. C.	
8:45 p. m.	Ar. Evansville, L. & N.	
12:45 a. m.	Ar. Terre Haute, E. & T. H.	
6:47 a. m.	Ar. Chicago, C. & E. I.	
	Ar. Knoxville, L. & N.	11:40 a. m.
	Ar. Corbin, L. & N.	2:40 p. m.
	Ar. Richmond, L. & N.	5:02 p. m.
	Ar. Paris, L. & N.	6:15 p. m.
	Ar. Lexington, L. & N.	7:00 p. m.
	Ar. Cincinnati, L. & N.	8:35 p. m.
	Ar. Lebanon, L. & N.	6:28 p. m.
	Ar. Louisville, L. & N.	8:15 p. m.
	Ar. Louisville, P. R. R.	9:15 p. m.
	Ar. Indianapolis, P. R. R.	11:55 a. m.
	Ar. Cincinnati, P. R. R.	25 a. m.
	Ar. Chicago, P. R. R.	8:50 a. m.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LIMITED. Through coach, baggage and baggage sleeping cars, Jacksonville to Cincinnati. Through sleeper, buffet Pullman sleeping cars, Jacksonville to Chicago. Dining car service, Atlanta to Cincinnati.

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TEN CENTS A WEEK



TWO HAPPY KIDS ON EASTER MORNING.

Song of the Resurrection Morn

(After Richard Le Gallienne.)

AWAKE, fond heart, and sing an Easter song!
To the sweet anthem of returning bird
And swelling bud and pale ascending blade
Add the last word.
Drear was the winter and the waiting long.
Heart, there were hours, indeed, thou wert afraid,
So long the spring delayed.

AWAKE, fond heart, and go thou forth and sing!
Unite thy voice to all this music sweet
Of opening leaf and busy, building wing
And falling showers;
The murmur soft of little lives newborn,
The armies of the grass, the myriad feet
Of marching flowers.

SHUT in the winter's alabaster tomb,
So white and still the sleeping summer lay
That dead she seemed,
And none might know how in her magic side
Slept the young spring and moved and smiled
and dreamed.
Behold, she wakes again and, open eyed,
Gazes, in wonder, round the leafy room
At the young flowers. Upon this Easter day
Awaken, too, my heart, open thine eyes,
And from thy seeming death thou, too, arise.

HOW softly blows the resurrection horn
Across the meadows, over the far hills!
In the soul's garden a new sweetness stirs,
And the heart fills,
And in and out the mind flow the soft airs.
Awake, fond heart, and sing this Easter morn!
In the year's resurrection do thy part.
Awake, fond heart!

Interesting Easter Items.

Among the things that Americans take pleasure in doing on Easter is the custom of "kissing of the lamb." This consists of the repetition of a prayer by the priest, accompanied by the burning of incense and the sprinkling with holy water in the "salvo" of central part of the house. The custom is said to have been introduced by the monks of the house of St. Albans in the twelfth century. On Easter eve in the Albanian highlands the young men assemble with lighted torches, which they wave about as they walk in procession through the village. Arriving at the nearest stream they throw them in, crying, "Kore va" or "mashallah," and throw these into the water with these torches; so intense their fever to turn, referring evidently to the under-lying spirits. When the priest comes to bless the house on Easter day the

women throw hot embers after him as he leaves in order that he may take away all danger from the house.

The First Slow One.

He uttered a jocular cry.
"And I am really and truly the first man you ever kissed?"
"Yes, Clarence," the beautiful girl replied, her red lips curling slightly. "The others all took the initiative."
—New York Press

Time's Changes.

"Before we were married you said you'd lay down your life for me," she sobbed.
"I know it," he returned solemnly, "but this confounded flat is so tiny there's no place to lay anything down."
—Harper's Bazar.

The Easter Hare.

He Should Not Be Confused
With the Common
Rabbit.

TO the learned men who can tell without stopping to count just how many sausages it takes to reach the moon it's as plain as the noonday sun why the hare comes at Easter with a wheelbarrow full of eggs. But for you and me, who couldn't

build up a dinosaur from a decayed tooth in another million years and who mix up history with historical novels, a little time is required to disentangle the truth from the tradition.

Now, be sure not to fall into the unscientific error of confusing the sacred hare with his humble American cousin, "Br'er Rabbit." The rabbit is all well enough in his way, and without him we shouldn't have Uncle Remus, perhaps, and a lot of people would have to take out accident insurance instead of prowling around graveyards in the dark of the moon.

But the rabbit is not the hare, and he has nothing to do with Easter. There are no hares in the east and south, and on the plains they insult the American hare by calling him a jack or jackass rabbit.

This distinction between the hare and the undersized rabbit is really important, and chiefly because the hare burrows in the ground, while the hare makes forms of grass for his habitation.

It is Germany from which we have borrowed the tradition of the Easter hare, who is quite as important a figure in his way in the fatherland as is St. Nicholas himself at Christmas. Where did the Germans get the hare myth? To determine that you would have to make a pretty long excursion into the past. And perhaps in the end it would be "up to" the sphinx to answer you.

For it is a fact, even if it is a fable, too, that the moon and the hare and Easter, likewise the Easter egg, are all dependent the one upon the other and have been since the time when Easter



A NOCTURNAL ANIMAL.

the Saxon goddess of the east, gave birth to our Christian festival. Now, you may think with your limited knowledge of Egyptology, that the Egyptians had no language other than the queer signs you may see today transcribed from old hieroglyphs, but you are mistaken. Those hieroglyphs were perhaps merely stenographic notes dictated by Osiris to Isis and afterward transcribed in the cuneiform tablets.

With the lapse of ages some of them have grown so "faded" that the best handwriting experts of today cannot decipher them. But in the everyday language of the Nile region the equivalent of hare is "un," which in English is "open," "to open," "the opener," also the hare has been found to resemble a symbol for the moon.

The hare is a nocturnal animal, and the young of the hare, unlike rabbits, are born with their eyes open and are able to move to clear them. As a matter of fact, the hare is a very

hare's eyes are so situated on the sides of its head that it can see all around. You never heard a hare make that old sneering excuse for carelessness, "You might think I had eyes in the back of my head." To all intents and purposes the hare has.

Well, then, to make it quite clear, "un" is hare, or "open," and the moon is "the open eyed watcher of the skies at night." But that isn't all. The Egyptians, being a people of few, because difficult, words, made "un" do duty for "period" too. Thus the hare, being never comatose, "became the type of periodicity, human and lunar, and as an opener became associated with the opening of the new year at Easter." Finally it came to be connected in the popular mind with the eggs broken to signify the opening of the year. "And there you are!" exclaims triumphantly the enthusiastic scientist to whom we are indebted for this information.

In Germany, if little Hans and Gretel are good, the white hare steals softly into the house on Easter eve, when everybody is sleeping, and leaves in the nooks and corners many brightly colored eggs for the "kinderkins." In the morning the children and their

parents hunt for these eggs amid great excitement. In Swabia and Hesse children are actually sent to the hare's nest in search of eggs. Maunhardt goes still further, saying that the hare is reported to be a fire and soul bringer and that children are supposed to be procured from the nests. It would seem, however, that the stork has largely usurped this function, which some persons will consider fortunate in view of the enormous number of eggs laid by the latter.

The hare myth has penetrated also to England, and it is written, "In Warwickshire, at Coteshill, if the young men of the parish can catch a hare and bring it to the parish before 10 o'clock in the morning of Easter Monday (the moon day), he is bound to give them a calf's head, 100 eggs and a goat, the calf's head being probably a survival of the worship of Baal or the sun as the golden calf."

The hare myth is of comparative recent adoption in this country. Not until the early sixties did the Presbyterians take note of the day. And New England was the last section of our country to bend—or unbend—in the direction of the Easter celebration.

So whether your Easter egg be laid by hen or hare is determined wholly upon what creed you profess. If you are a doughty Scotchman or his descendant, a blue Presbyterian, your



"YOUNG LIFE'S ASTIR ON RESURRECTION MORN."

barnyard hen in the round of her daily household duties and bought at the corner grocery, for there is no record of the timorous hare ever having en-



DELIVERING THE GOODS.

tered the nursery of that reverend and austere gentleman, John Knox. But if you come from the vaterland, where the Easter hare is quite as important a personage as Der Kriss Kringle, then you know that your Easter egg was brought from far, far off, somewhere in the tall grass, and laid beneath your pillow or, perchance, on the mantelpiece by none other than the fleet white hare.

Easter Customs.

In Russia it is considered no crime to be found intoxicated during Easter week, even the policemen being often under the mellowing influence of vodka.

Egg racing is a favorite amusement of Russian, German and French children. The eggs are rolled down a hill, the prize going to the child whose egg rolls the greatest number of races without damage to its shell. In Germany tracks are made of twigs, down which each egg may roll without interference from any other one, and the boy whose egg arrives unbroken at the foot of the hill collects toll from his opponent whose egg is cracked.

Concrete.

Concrete itself is, of course, very old. The concrete stairs of Colchester and Rochester castles still show the marks of the lacing boards. The dome of Agrippa's pantheon, which is 112 feet in diameter, is of concrete, and fragments of concrete buildings are found in Mexico and Peru. Con-

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St. Cynthia's
Easter.

By FRANK H. SWEET.

A NEW minister had come to slow moving, out of the way Spruce Hill, and with his coming had appeared a spirit of change and improvement. He was fresh from his theological course and eager with youth and love for the work.

Hitherto the church had been to Spruce Hill a place of solemnity, only to be visited at required intervals and as a duty. Under the ministrations of this new zealot, it gradually came about that duty could be approached from any directions and not all of them necessarily thorny or narrow. Among other innovations were the Easter sermon and church decoration. The new minister made the announce-

ment that he could scare up white posies enough for a buttonhole bouquet," declared one woman aggressively. "As for Easter lilies, I ain't never seen one, an' narcissus I ain't even heard of. The idea o' decoratin' a whole church at this time o' year!"

"I've heard Mis' Bray speak o' narcissus," said a woman reflectively, "she that was the florist's wife, you know. An', come to think, she's likely a master hand at this decoratin' business."

"Who is Mrs. Bray?" asked the minister quickly. "Perhaps she can help me out with this. Curious I have not heard of her before."

"Oh, I don't know," dryly; "folks sort o' die away from the world after they go into the poorhouse. Mis' Bray's husband was for gettin' on, so he went to the city an' learned the florist's trade. For a time he done well. Then his business broke, an' he died. An' his wife come back here an' lived up what little she had. After that there was nothin' but the poorhouse."

"Well, we will find her," eagerly. "Will you go with me, Mrs. Perry?" "Why, yes; I don't mind if I do. Cynthia Bray was as much of a lady as anybody round."

The next afternoon the minister's backboard stopped in front of the poorhouse, and he and Mrs. Perry alighted. Several men and boys were slouching about the yard, and on a bench near the door were four or five old women. Mrs. Perry looked them over critically.

"Not there," she declared concisely. "Cynthia wouldn't grow to look like that. We'll go in."

In answer to their knock a hard featured woman came to the door.

"Mis' Bray?" she repeated. "Oh, Aunt Cynthia, as we call her, is a good worker, so we keep her in the kitchen. I don't s'pose she's had a visitor afore in five years. Won't you come in?"

They entered. Five minutes passed; then a little old woman, with a deprecatory manner, stole softly into the room.

"Did--did you wish to see me?" she asked tremulously.

Mrs. Perry sprang forward in quick forgetfulness of the immeasurable distance which lay between her social position and the poorhouse.

"Why, you poor soul," she cried sympathetically, "how old you've grown! My hair ain't begun to turn yet, an' here your'n is perfectly white."

"It's been a long time since you and I were young," answered the old woman gently. Then she colored with sudden remembrance and drew herself up stiffly.

"Is there anything I can do for you?" she asked.

"Come, Cynthia; don't talk that way," remonstrated Mrs. Perry. "You know farmers' wives are always workin', an'--an' it's a good piece from our place to the--"

"Poorhouse," said the old woman calmly.

"Well, yes, poorhouse," deprecatingly. "But never mind all that. I've brung the minister."

"I don't think I've had the pleasure of meeting Mrs. Bray before," said the minister, rising, "and yet I've called here several times."

"No; we haven't met," acquiesced the old woman. "I generally stay in the kitchen."

"I must acknowledge this visit is mostly a business one, Mrs. Bray," he said, resuming his seat. "You see, I am planning to have the church decorated for Easter, but the ladies of my congregation assure me that such a thing is utterly impossible. I have come to you as a last resort. Can you help me?"

The old woman looked from one to the other with a sudden yearning in her eyes. Then a soft flush began to

steal over her face.

"It isn't easy to decorate without anything to decorate with," she said tremulously. "In the city we used to have palms and Easter lilies and no end of ferns and delicate things to bank with."

"But there are the woods," suggested the minister desperately. "I notice lots of pretty things on my walks."

"Do you mean for me to take charge of the decorating?" she asked.

"Yes, but of course with plenty of help."

He turned hastily and glanced through the window. Something rap-turous in the expression on the old woman's face made him lose command of himself for a moment.

"Well, I shall need help in gathering the decorations," she was saying as he turned back. "There will be things to cut and bring home and boxes and boards to build up for the banking. There are some bushes along the creek that I can fix up to look very much like palms at a little distance, and that dark moss below the ledge will make a beautiful bank on which we can arrange the early white flowers."

"But, there," breaking into a low, joyous laugh, which apparently frightened her, for she stopped suddenly and looked about in a scared, tremulous sort of way.

"I was only going to say," she went on deprecatingly, "that I haven't seen the church yet. I ought to go there first and look around."

"Of course. We will take you there this afternoon," volunteered the minister, beaming.

"And you can have my horse and wagon every afternoon if you like," added Mrs. Perry warmly. "Then there is my boy Tommy. You can have him to drive you."

The old woman's face was now absolutely radiant.

She was not thinking of the decoration now. Of the beautiful thing of not being forgotten. "God is good to have remembered me so lovingly."

The minister gazed at her a moment, then turned again to the window. "There will be no failure in the church decoration," he remarked to Mrs. Perry.

Nor was there, nor in the beautiful thing that had come to the little old woman. During the decorating she

impulsively and grasped both her hands.

"I cannot tell you how much you have helped me," he said earnestly. "The decoration has been a perfect success, and it is all owing to you. But there is another thing I wish to speak about. My housekeeper is about to leave, and I need some one to take her place. Will you come and look after the parsonage--and me, too, for that matter?"

So the beautiful thing which had come to her was not of a day, but was to last through all the remainder of her years.

Easter Facts.

The observance of Easter was not instituted until some 300 years after the death of Christ. The name was taken from the ancient Anglo-Saxon goddess of spring, Ostera, or Eastre, whose festival was celebrated about the time of the Christian Easter. No celebration was arranged by the Jewish Christians at all, but on the 14th day of the month, immediately following the vernal equinox, which was the day on which the old Jewish feast of the Passover was celebrated, the Jewish Christians celebrated the death of Christ, to them the paschal lamb, Christ having died, according to their chronology, on the date of the celebration of the Jewish Passover. The celebration of the Jewish Christians was therefore for the death and not the resurrection of Christ. The gentle Christians, however, were not bound by any of the Jewish traditions. Sunday being the Lord's day to them, they therefore celebrated the resurrection of Christ on the Sunday following the 14th day of the month of March, the day on which Christ died. The Jewish Christians thus celebrated the 14th day of the month, irrespective of the day of the week, and the gentle Christians celebrated a Sunday, irrespective of the day of the month. If this confusion had not been resolved by the proper ecclesiastical authorities we might have been celebrating the day at the present time according to our individual religious predilections.

The early church was torn with bitter dissensions regarding this conflict of custom as to the celebration of Easter. Various attempts were made to fix a stable day which would be observed by the church as a whole, but they all failed. Finally, at the council of Nice, A. D. 325, the question was settled once for all, and the date now observed throughout the Christian world was established. Easter day was then fixed as the first Sunday after that full moon which happens on or next after March 21. If the full moon happens on a Sunday the following Sunday is Easter.

In France the year began with Easter Sunday until the year 1564, the date of Shakespeare's birth, when Charles IX. fixed Jan. 1 as the first day of the year.

Stone Eaters.

Sir James Ross in the course of his travels noted a curious fact with regard to the penguin--namely, the habit of swallowing stones. In one specimen he found ten pounds weight of quartz, granite and trap. Other animals, reptiles, fishes and mammals exhibit the same strange fancy. In a paper contributed to the proceedings of the Bristol Naturalists' society W. H. Wills has collected a number of facts connected with such stomach stones. The fact noted by Mr. Wills that the pebbles are usually white quartz is interesting, but does not appear to throw any light on the strange habit.--London Globe.

Ambition, like a torrent, ne'er looks back.--Ben Jonson.

MASTER'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a decree of foreclosure of mortgage made and rendered by the Hon. J. T. Wills, Judge of the Circuit Court, Eighth Judicial Circuit of Florida, in and for Alachua county, in Chancery, on the 23rd day of March, 1909, in a certain cause therein pending wherein F. A. Day is complainant and George White and his wife, Emma White, are defendants, I, the undersigned, as Special Master in Chancery, will sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash, before the Court House door in the City of Gainesville, Florida, on Monday, the 3rd day of May, 1909, between the legal hours of sale, the following described land, situate, lying and being in Alachua county, Florida, to-wit:

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ent one Thursday evening after pray-meeting and added that he hoped would be present and that the ladies of the church would arrange for a careful and appropriate decoration. After service the women stood about resolutely, looking at each other with blank, questioning faces. "I guess you'll have to excuse me, Mr. Kent," one of them said at last. "I ain't got any flowers, an' besides, I don't know anything about decoratin'."

"Nor me," "Nor me," "Nor me," came in rapid succession and in evident relief from the other women. "Tain't time yet for flowers to bloom."

"Can't we find a few callas and Easter lilies and narcissuses and perhaps some other white flowers?" asked the minister, with less confidence in his side.

"All the houses in the neighborhood



"I CANNOT TELL YOU HOW MUCH YOU HAVE HELPED ME."

was like a different creature. When it was all over the minister went to her

Committee Of Three

By *An Easter Story*
CLARISSA MACKIE

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THE Rev. Barnabas Crane removed his gold eyeglasses and peered nearsightedly over the heads of his congregation.

He was a tall man with thin straw colored hair and mustache and blue eyes, which had innocently enough been the cause of disturbing the peace of mind of several of the ladies of his parish.

The three ladies in question blushed and tingled with various degrees of delight when Mr. Crane gave out the following notice:

"It is now the 1st of January, and, as is customary at this season, I shall appoint three ladies of the parish to serve upon the flower committee. This committee will have entire charge of the decorations of the church on Easter Sunday, and in their capable hands I feel we may safely leave the embellishment of the house of God on that most significant day.

"The three members of the committee for this purpose are Miss Emily Burton, Miss Harriet Ames and Miss Lucy Grant."

Mr. Crane resumed his eyeglasses and gave out the closing hymn.

When the service was over the three newly appointed members of the flower committee gravitated toward one another as by common consent.

All were flushed with excitement and perhaps disposed to be a trifle jealous of the other, but save for rather critical surveys of one another's bonnets and gowns there was no outward indication that personal feelings might dominate the faithful performance of their service on this important committee.

"Come over to my house tomorrow night," suggested Harriet Ames with her usual air of leadership. "Come over and stay to tea, and we will talk over the plans."

Miss Burton and Miss Grant nodded assent, and the three parted to meet again the following night around Miss Ames' tea table.

When the dishes of pink tinted ham and light biscuit and damson preserves had gone the rounds, and Miss Ames had poured great cups of fragrant tea, and when the delicious poundcake was still in anticipation, the committee got down to business.

"Now," said Harriet briskly, "we must decide what decorations we shall have and act accordingly. We want it to outshine anything that any other committee ever did."

"Yes, indeed," murmured Lucy mildly.

"Perhaps you've got a plan all laid out, Harriet; you're so forehanded," remarked Emily Burton, with a touch of asperity.

"Well, I have," returned Miss Ames frankly. "The fact is I laid it all out on a piece of paper last night. There's three places to plan for."

"What are they?" questioned Lucy mildly.

"The back of the chancel and the railing around the choir and the baptismal font." She paused and looked defiantly at her colleagues.

Lucy Grant fluttered over her tea cup. "Ain't you forgotten something, Harriet?" she asked nervously.

"You've forgotten the minister's desk," said Emily blantly. She stared at Harriet Ames with cold, gray eyes.

Lucy Grant looked at her.

Lucy Grant helped herself to two slices of pound cake.

Miss Ames was not at all perturbed. "I knew you and Lucy would be thinking of Mr. Crane's desk," she said sarcastically; "there wasn't any need for me to remember that! Now you've mentioned it, my idea is to wait till the last minute and then buy something appropriate for that."

She turned to the other members of the committee.

They brightened visibly. "Yes, indeed," they agreed enthusiastically. "We will wait till the last minute and then buy something very nice."

"Now, I've got an oleander tree and a rubber plant and sights of geraniums that will be grand by Easter," appended Emily Burton amiably.

"And I have three big maidenhair ferns and lots of begonias and other small plants," added Lucy eagerly.

"I've Boston ferns and ivy and—well, just look at that window—you'll see we can make quite a showing without calling on any outsiders for help," said Harriet Ames proudly.

With one accord they turned toward the south bow window of the dining room where flourished a magnificent showing of thrifty plants in various stages of growth, but all promising a luxuriant yield by the forthcoming Easter Sunday.

Lucy Grant went straight home from the tea party, and, evading the curious questions of the bedridden aunt with whom she lived, she made her way to the cellar and from a dim corner brought forth five flowerpots.

These pots contained five Easter lily bulbs which Lucy had been surreptitiously forcing for the decoration of Mr. Crane's reading desk. Planted and watered in secrecy, she had not known how she was to attain the pleasure of having her plants grace the pulpit on Easter Sunday. Now all was clear. As a member of the flower committee she would come forward at the last minute with her offering—Easter lilies were rare in Menthank village.

The same thought had taken root in the minds of Harriet Ames and Emily Burton.

Secretly the three members of the committee each tended a few carefully nurtured pots of Easter lilies for the admired minister's desk.

During the long winter days that followed each one dreamed of the triumph of producing great pots of pure white blooms at the last moment.

The friendship which bound the three spinsters together before the advent of the good looking bachelor minister became more strained as each day passed by until open rupture was imminent.

Happily Easter sped on apace, and all too soon came the Saturday before the sacred day, to the real meaning of which neither of the three women had given much thought.

Not once after that tea party at Harriet Ames' house was the subject of the minister's desk mentioned. They avoided it as by tacit agreement.

The day before Easter Sunday the flower committee worked feverishly in the church. Behind closed doors they decorated chancel, choir rail and baptismal font. Their houses were denuded of green growing things to beautify the old church.

At last they paused and looked at one another, smoldering resentment and covert fear in their eyes.

"About Mr. Crane's desk," said Harriet Ames, hesitating for once in her life.

"The desk?"

"I have some Easter lilies," began Harriet, with eagerness.

"So have I," interrupted Emily Burton irritably.

"Mine are lovely," almost wailed Lucy Grant.

With one accord they vanished from the church in the direction of their several homes.

Fifteen minutes later three small boys with as many small wagons carted pots of stately Easter lilies into the church.

Three indignant spinsters gathered about the minister's desk.

"It was my idea," asserted Harriet

"No such thing," objected Emily Burton.

"Mine were all up when the committee was appointed," sobbed Lucy despairingly.

A footstep sounded in the carpeted aisle. With one accord they turned to face the Rev. Barnabas Crane, beaming, mild eyed and enthusiastic.

"It is exquisite, exquisite, ladies," he said softly, rubbing his hands. "And the lilies—how pure and sweet they are, emblematic of the pure souls which grew them for the house of the Lord."

He paused for an instant, and the members of the flower committee dropped shamed, repentant eyes to the floor, and not one of them trusted herself to speak.

"I must tell you a little secret, ladies," went on the minister happily. "Tomorrow you will see in the pew with my mother a young lady, a stranger to you, from the west. I hope you will learn to love her, as I do, for she is to be my wife very soon."

He held out his hand, and, silently they grasped it and congratulated him warmly.

When he had departed the flower committee sighed in unison.

"Let's put all of them on his desk," said Harriet sturdily.

"Some about the base of it on the floor," qualified Emily.

"And some in the minister's pew," suggested Lucy softly.

And they all understood.

Grave and Gay

THE EASTER CHERUB.

She had been to Easter service.

This sweet, grave maiden of four.

The lilies were set in perfumed aisles

From the altar down to the door.

Fragrance and light were about her.

Angels' ecstatic voices sung.

While the air was full of the chiming

From bells in the tower hung.

The light from a violet window

Fell over a picture there.

It lit the tall cross beside it

With a glory radiant, fair.

A picture of the Lord Jesus

Coming away from the tomb.

With cherub faces above him

And angels' forms in the gloom.

The children bore away lilies.

Each in a tightly shut hand.

Bore them to homes rich or humble.

A sweet, happy Easter band.

And baby was shown a new sister.

Come on the glad Easter morn.

A child of lilies and chimes and hope.

A child on the Easter day born.

A fond smile came to her features.

A glad light shone in her eyes.

"It's glad for dat baby angel."

"Tain't a very big s'prise."

I prayed when I saw those chillern

Flyin' aroun' so sweet

Dat one'd tum to my house.

An' I tole 'em de number an' street."

Easter Brilliants.

I know the sting of death—its victory—

Since one more dear than mine own life

is dead.

And I can nevermore be comforted.

Whatever love may come in years to be.

Till God give back what death has

wrenched from me.

Yet ye may slay my hope. Who was it

said:

"There is no resurrection for such dead.

What thou hast lost has perished utterly?"

False seer! My dead shall live again, I

know.

Those eyes—once, oh, so kind!—shall smile

again.

And the dear hands that wrought but

good to me

Hold mine in warm, close clasp. I can

forego

Life's solace and be patient with its pain

Until the daybreak and the shadows flee.

—Katherine E. Conway.

Rejoice, happy Judah! Thy sorrow is

done.

Thy King is ascended and victory won.

His kingdom is love; he is waiting to

save.

And life is victorious o'er death and the

grave.

Look up and rejoice, all ye children of

men.

Beyond the night shade shines the morn-

ing again.

With saints, priests and prophets our

voices we raise

In the blessing of hope and the beauty of

praise.

No ear may hear his coming.

But in this world of sin,

Where meek souls will receive him still,

The dear Christ enters in.

—Phillips Brooks.

And with the morn those angel faces

smile.

Which I have loved long since and lost

awhile.

—John Henry Newman.

Therefore dread I not to go

Over the silent river.

Death, thy fastening ear I know.

Hear me, thou life giver.

Through the waters to the shore

Where mine own have gone before.

—Lucy Larcom.

The while my pulses faintly beat

My faith doth so abound

I feel grow firm beneath my feet

The green immortal ground.

—Last Words of Alice Cary.

The True Bohemian.

"A true bohemian is a man who bor-

rows a dollar and then invites you to

lunch with it."

"Wrong again. A true bohemian is

a man who invites himself to lunch

with you and then borrows a dollar."

—Kansas City Star.

I think there is success in all honest

endeavor and that there is some victory

gained in every gallant struggle

that is made.

—Charles Dickens.

Integrity without knowledge is weak

and useless.

—Paley.



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Easter Monday At Bourg

By GEORGE H. PICARD

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UST when the egg began to cut such an important figure in the celebration of the Easter festival is still a subject of grave dispute. It is perfectly clear, however, the good people of the early middle ages knew all about it. The folk of that period makes frequent reference to the part played by the egg in Easter doings, and there have been handed down numerous entertaining tales about it. One of them tells of a very beautiful young woman who married a noble husband through its aid.

Her name was Margaret, and she was a royal princess, the daughter of Emperor Maximilian of Germany. She was born at Ghent in 1480, and though that is a long time ago, her life as an attractive young person survives. When one looks on her face as the old time painters have depicted her it seems incredible that she should have found it difficult to provide herself with a suitable husband. Yet it happened so.

When she was still an infant Margaret was betrothed to Charles VIII. of France. Of course the tiny princess had no opportunity to say nay, and she grew to maidenhood in the belief that her matrimonial affairs were all settled. Her royal lover proved faithful. The charms of Anne of Brittany made him indifferent to the fact that he had promised to become the son-in-law of the German emperor, and he married her. Margaret was only eleven altogether too young to lose her duty sleep over the matter. Her father was exceedingly wrath, but nothing dreadful came of it. He waited till his heiress was seventeen and married her to Don Juan of Spain, son of Ferdinand and Isabella.

Almost before Margaret had made a new husband's acquaintance, even before he had had an opportunity to produce his bride to the Spanish court, he fell sick and died. Under circumstances Margaret was not consolable, but she waited another year before she began to scan her matrimonial horizon in search of a second husband. Her experience had taught her one thing—in future she purposed doing her own selecting, with no aid from anybody except Providence. Finally, at the age of twenty-one, she was more beautiful than ever, the young widow put off her weeds and notified her friends that the game was on. In the belief that she might enlist the services of her patron saint she set out on a pilgrimage to a shrine in the south of France. That Providence was taking lively interest in the business is evident from the sequel.

It was not even required of her that she should complete her pilgrimage. Halfway of the journey the princess and her party halted at the little village of Bourg for a few days' rest. It was a charming spot in the mountain region of the Cevennes, with great dark forests on every side.

It happened to be the Eastertide. On Easter Monday the chateleine of the castle at which the princess was a guest proposed that a party should be made up to attend the village games. Margaret accepted the proposition with enthusiasm. For a long time she watched the varying scene with the liveliest interest. The day was perfect. The air was soft and genial, and Nature was in her most amiable mood. Luncheon was served in the open, and afterward the great personages put aside their state and joined in the dance.

Toward the middle of the afternoon came the great event of the day, the famous egg contest of Bourg. Several men in holiday attire advanced, each with a basket on his arm containing the gayly colored eggs which were to be used in the contest. There were twelve dozen of these in all, and one by one they were distributed over the field in a series of figures. When all was ready the music changed to a stately measure and a young man and his chosen partner stepped forward and began the dance. It was a serious matter for the dancers, for on their success in making the perilous passage of the figures depended their future happiness. Three trials were accorded to each couple, and the onlookers made themselves exceedingly merry over the affair, but the principals in the contest wore anxious and uncertain countenances. It was the couple that could glide over the eggs and pass among them in all the varied movements of the dance without cracking a single one that might marry in spite of the opposition of the parents. It was one of the most highly cherished privileges of the young men and maidens of Bourg.

It was at this all important business of the day was at its busiest a bold blast of a hunter's horn came from the edge of the forest. It was followed speedily by the appearance of a company of mounted gallants in such splendid attire that the peasants stopped in the distance to gaze open mouthed at the apparition. The Princess Margaret and her party were almost equally amazed to behold such splendor issuing from the forest. At the head of the troop, on a spirited white charger, rode a young man whose rich dress and knightly bearing proclaimed him to be a person of great consequence.

Without further preliminary he rode directly to the side of the chateleine of Bourg, sprang from his horse, doffed his plumed hat and, bending a graceful knee, requested her hospitality for himself and his men. "Sir, I am honored in the asking," she responded graciously, for she knew that her would be guest was Philibert the Handsome, duke of Savoy. The duke and his gentlemen were presented to the princess, and the dance was resumed. From the first it was apparent to the entire company that the young man whose beauty was the theme of every court in Europe had no eyes for the rustic festivity. Margaret, too, her hostess discovered, had abandoned her interest in the dance and had transferred it elsewhere. At last the lady of Bourg made bold to rally the beautiful widow on her listlessness. "I fear, madame," she said smilingly, "that our Easter sport is becoming tiresome."

"Not at all," declared the princess hotly. "I only wish I were one of your good peasants so that I might engage in it myself."

At this astonishing declaration the handsome young ruler of Savoy bowed low before the lovely widow and said, "Madame, I crave the honor of being your partner in the Easter egg contest of Bourg."

A great bush fell on the gay and splendid company. Not a man or woman among them all was so stupid as not to realize that Philibert's words meant the proffer of his heart and hand. For a moment the fair Margaret hesitated, and her cheeks flushed charmingly. Then she accepted her bold young wooer's arm and permitted him to lead her to the field.

"It is but a harmless diversion," she protested laughingly. "I shall be certain to break more than one egg before I have accomplished it."

"Break all of them if you will, madame, but do not break my heart," he returned presumptuously.

She would not reassure him by any spoken word, and, amid the plaudits of the onlookers, they entered on the trial. The Princess Margaret's doleful prediction was not fulfilled. At the end of the dance it was announced publicly that not a single egg had been broken.

"We have won, madame," said Philibert rapturously. "The Easter egg dance of Bourg has determined our fate. There is no appeal from its decision."

"I suppose you are right," she admitted softly. "One cannot do violence to the traditions of Bourg."

For four happy years this royal couple lived the ideal wedded life, and then Margaret was again a widow. Thus she remained to the close of her long life. She was so capable and so highly esteemed that she was made regent of Holland. She was also a poet of no mean distinction and left enough interesting letters to make two big volumes.

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Defined.

"What is the difference between firmness and obstinacy?" asked a young lady of her fiancé.

"Firmness," was his gallant reply, "is a noble characteristic of women; obstinacy is a lamentable defect in men."

Easter Verse

The Easter Window.

'Twas Eastertide, and Easter gowns
 Approached the window space,
 Where each was told in accents mild
 To occupy her place.

With maiden joy the Organdie
 Essayed to take her stand
 Just where she thought the morning sun
 Could slyly kiss her hand.

And then the Grenadine walked up
 With lace and frills galore
 And crowded to the foremost place
 Upon that showroom floor.

Unmindful of the modest Cloth,
 With military braid,
 Or dainty Lawn or dotted Swiss
 Or natty Tailor-made.

But all her grace began to place
 When, with a haughty stride,
 The Brocade Silk moved in apace
 And bade them all aside.

"I've held the leading place," she said,
 "In yonder gay Pahree.
 My Louis Fourteenth neck must show
 My birth of high degree."

"At every ball I enter first,
 At drawing rooms and teas—
 Keep off my train, you Linen Miss!
 What country bumpkins these!"

With that the Purple Velvet frowned,
 The Brocade Gown turned green,
 While one by one the passersby
 Looked in upon the scene.

—Margaret S. Tennent in Philadelphia Times.

Bessie's Bonnet.

Bessie hath a dimpled chin,
 Mouth with smile upon it,
 Eyes of blue to glory in,
 But—she hath a bonnet.

That's the only thing I see
 When she dares to don it.
 Climax of all witchery
 Lies in Bessie's bonnet.

Yet, though I have sung the spell
 Oft in many a sonnet,
 To this day I cannot tell
 One thing that is on it.

Were it off her dainty head
 Who would care to con it?
 She's the charm, when all is said,
 Of her dainty bonnet.

—Judge.

The Hats.

See the ladies with the hats—
 Stunning hats—
 Looming up in battlements and slanting
 down in flats!

How they flutter, flutter, flutter,
 At the corner of the street!
 And the ones who wear 'em utter
 Words as soft as melted butter

To the friends they chance to meet
 As they flash, flash, flash,
 In a sort of shiny flash
 Till you'd think a flock of blue and green
 and pink and purple bats

Were the hats, hats, hats,
 Hats, hats, hats—
 The fearful and the cheerful string of
 hats!

Melinda's Easter Hat.

Melinda Waters went to town,
 And in a milliner's shop
 She saw a turban with a plume
 Of whistbroom shape on top.
 She bought a frame untripped, and
 home

She tied, and down she sat.
 With Jeremiah's shaving brush
 She dashed that Easter hat.

Melinda Waters set the style.
 She went to church, and lo,
 Now every man for miles around
 Must let his whiskers grow,
 For all her friends beheld her hat
 And marked the plume upon it.

And each one took a shaving brush
 To trim her Easter bonnet.

A Rude Youth.

"How do you account for this, ma'am?" And he held aloft a lump of coal which he had just dug out from the strolch steak.

The landlady slightly flushed.
 "I suppose the poor cows sometimes
 stray along the railroad track," she said. "But you must admit the steak is tender."

He thumped the coal with his knife.
 "Yes," he said harshly, "locomotive
 tender."

And the meal progressed in silence.
 —Cleveland Plain Dealer.

YOUNG MEN WANTED.

U. S. Government Railway Mail Clerks
 \$800 to \$1,200 a Year—Last
 Notification.

Uncle Sam will hold an examination for railway mail clerks in the vicinity of Gainesville and throughout the United States on May 15. Many ambitious young men, with only a very ordinary school education, can readily pass. The Government wants young men over 18 with common sense, to take examinations for railway mail clerks and carriers, and the Government Position Bureau, of Rochester, N. Y., with its peculiar knowledge of the requirements of the examination, can fit any young man in a short time to pass. A Government position means steady work, good pay, and a yearly vacation. There is time to prepare for the May 15 examination, and any reader of The Sun can get full information how to proceed, free of charge, by writing The Government Positions Bureau, 1154 Powers block, Rochester, N. Y., who also prepare men for examinations for post-office clerks, clerk carriers and rural free delivery carriers.

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Never in the history of Gainesville has such an array of beautiful head-wear been seen.

We have been receiving all during the season a line of Hats that



were never matched for quality or price, and it pleases us to announce that Easter bargain hunters didn't get 'em all—many rare patterns at popular prices. Stop in and let us show you.

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Call around and see how far just a little money will go with us.

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The Place to Save Money

TWO NEW BUILDINGS FOR THE UNIVERSITY

TO BE BUILT SOME TIME DURING
COMING SUMMER.

Several Outside Contractors Already
Visited Gainesville to Make
Bids on Work.

Two large buildings are to be erected on the University grounds within the very near future, and while the contracts have not been let, they will be within the course of the next few weeks.

The fact that a large number of outside contractors were here on Friday lead the reporter to believe that something outside of the completion of the two buildings already there was contemplated, and upon investigation it was learned that this was what the Board of Control intends doing.

It is stated that this work will commence immediately following the improvements already figured on and the bids, which have all been submitted, will be opened and the successful bidder known within a short while.

With this work started, the Government work going on and the vitrified brick paving, we have enough ahead to make Gainesville lively the coming summer.

Among the outside contractors who were here were two from Jacksonville, one from Asheville and one from Columbia, and while they were non-committal on the subject, it was later learned that the University work brought them here.

Best Treatment for Colds.

"Most ordinary colds will yield to the simplest treatment," says The Chicago Tribune, "moderate laxatives, hot foot baths, a free perspiration and an avoidance of exposure to cold and wet after treatment." While this treatment is simple, it requires considerable trouble, and the one adopting it must remain in doors for a day or two, or a fresh cold is almost sure to be contracted, and in many instances pneumonia follows. Is it not better to pin your faith to an old reliable preparation like Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, that is famous for its cures of colds and can always be depended upon? For sale by all druggists.

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When by calling on The Gainesville Furniture Company you will receive a card? When this card has been punched, showing cash purchases amounting to \$3, return it with 31 cents in stamps and you will receive a

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Headquarters for
Household Furnishings

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During Change of Life,
says Mrs. Chas. Barclay

Graniteville, Vt. — "I was passing through the Change of Life and suffered from nervousness and other annoying symptoms, and I can truly say that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has proved worth mountains of gold to me, as it restored my health and strength. I never forget to tell my friends what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me during this trying period. Complete restoration to health means so much to me that for the sake of other suffering women I am willing to make my trouble public so you may publish this letter." — Mrs. CHAS. BARCLAY, R.F.D. Graniteville, Vt.

No other medicine for woman's ills has received such wide-spread and unqualified endorsement. No other medicine we know of has such a record of cures of female ills as has Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

For more than 30 years it has been curing female complaints such as inflammation, ulceration, local weaknesses, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, indigestion and nervous prostration, and it is unequalled for carrying women safely through the period of change of life. It costs but little to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and, as Mrs. Barclay says, it is "worth mountains of gold" to suffering women.

NEARING COMPLETION.

The White House Addition Will Soon
Be Finished.

The new addition being made to the White House is now nearing completion and when finished will give this popular hostelry eight more large and modern rooms, with all conveniences.

The proprietor, Major Thomas, is of the opinion that this will meet the demands for the coming summer, but if still not sufficient, he will add more during the early fall, as he proposes to make a tourist hotel of the place.

Other Improvements.

The work of remodeling the stables of Davis & Oliver is also nearing completion, so far as the brick work is concerned, and the coming week will probably finish up this part of the contract. When completed this will be the most modern structure of its kind in the State.

The residence of E. A. Cooper, which is being built in a very desirable location, is fast assuming proportions.

In all sections of the city work is going on, and within a short while it is expected that a rush will be on in all lines.

Objects to Strong Medicines.

Many people object to taking the strong medicines usually prescribed by physicians for rheumatism. There is no need of internal treatment in any case of muscular or chronic rheumatism, and more than nine out of every ten cases of the disease are of one or the other of these varieties. When there is no fever and little (if any) swelling, you may know that it is only necessary to apply Chamberlain's Liniment freely to get quick relief. Try it. For sale by all druggists.

Richardson Released.

Alfred Richardson, the negro who was arrested on a warrant sworn out by Palatka authorities, has been released, having paid all costs in the case. It was as The Sun had stated—there was a general misunderstanding and he was only liable until the matter was finally settled.

A Knocker

Is a man who can't see good in any person or thing. It's a habit caused by a disordered liver. If you find that you are beginning to see things through blue spectacles, treat your liver to a good clean cut process with Ballard's Herbina. A sure cure for constipation, dyspepsia, indigestion, biliousness, all liver, stomach and bowel troubles. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

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NORTHERN PARTY WITH AMPLE
CAPITAL FOR ENTERPRISE.

He Desired Secrecy in His Proposed
Line for the Present, But
Will Come.

W. H. Russell of Westfield, Mass., will add another business enterprise to this section within the next few months, he having become a convert during his recent visit to this section.

He is extensively engaged in business in his State, but was so favorably impressed with this section that he has decided to engage in business here early next fall, and will close his business affairs in the North for this purpose during the coming summer.

What line he intends to engage in he did not desire to say, but stated that he would start a manufacturing business that would employ a large number of hands and thereby help the city and county to a considerable extent.

Gainesville welcomes capital and all classes of manufacturing enterprises, and there is abundant room for all who care to invest in a fast growing hustling city.

FOR CITY MARSHAL.

To the Voters of the City of Gainesville:

I am a candidate for City Marshal, for re-election on April 13. I have served the people faithfully and efficiently, night and day, and my record is open for inspection.

If my service during the past year has been satisfactory I ask the support and vote of each and every citizen who is qualified. I can only promise the same service as I have endeavored to give in the past.

Yours for order,
BEN T. ARNOW.

I take this method of informing the public that I am a candidate for City Marshal at the election to be held on April 13, 1909. I respectfully solicit the support of all voters, irrespective of party affiliation, and promise to faithfully and impartially discharge the duties of the office should I be elected. Respectfully,

CHAS. C. WARREN.

FOR TAX ASSESSOR.

To the Voters of the City of Gainesville:

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for City Tax Assessor for the year 1909. Having been Tax Assessor for four years, I am fully prepared to fill the office, as my record will show, the city assessment having been increased in that time from a little over \$600,000 to over \$1,000,000. I was prevented from running for this office last year on account of sickness, and now respectfully solicit your votes.

W. M. BRADFORD.

To the Voters of Gainesville:

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for re-election to the office of City Tax Assessor for the year 1909, in the election to be held on April 13th, and most earnestly request you all to give me your vote and support for the position.

Thanking you for your past endorsement, I remain, Yours very truly,
B. R. COLSON.

CAPUDINE for "THAT HEADACHE."

Out last night? Headache and nervous this morning? Hicks' Capudine just the thing to fit you for business. Clear the head—braces the nerves. Try it. At drug stores.

His Occupation.

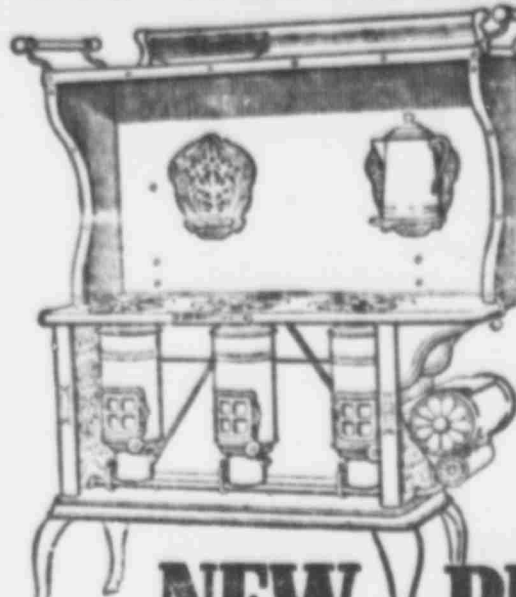
A big, brawny fellow in answer to a question in a justice's court as to what he did for a living said:

"Well, sir, in the spring I catches an' sells young mockin' birds, in the summer I mostly sells rattlesnake buttons for rattles for the babies, but in the winter I sometimes has to chop wood."—Atlanta Constitution.

A WOMAN'S APPEAL

To all knowing sufferers of rheumatism, whether muscular or of the joints, sciatica, lumbago, backache, pains in the kidneys or neuralgia, to write to her for a home treatment which has repeatedly cured all of these troubles. She feels it her duty to send it to all sufferers FREE. You cure yourself at home as thousands will testify—no change of climate being necessary. A simple discovery banishes uric acid from the blood, loosens the stiffened joints, purifies the blood, and brightens the eyes, giving elasticity and tone to the whole system. If the above interests you, for proof address Mrs. M. Summers, Box 15, South Bend, Ind.

You Will Need an Oil Stove

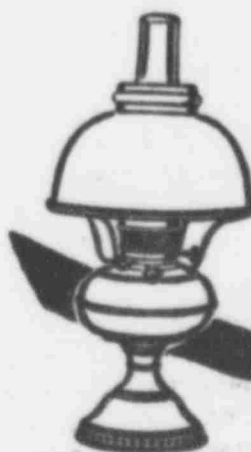


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is the only oil stove built with a CABINET TOP for holding plates and keeping food hot after cooking. Also has useful drop shelves on which to stand the coffee pot or teapot after removing from burner. Fitted with two nickeled racks for towels. A marvel of comfort, simplicity and convenience. Made in three sizes—with or without Cabinet Top. If not with your dealer, write our nearest agency.



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That He Will Never Live to
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When, the white man sentenced
hung, is wasting away and is
a changed man since his
tion and still more so since
has been passed upon him.
The past week there has
very noticeable change in the
he is not the healthy,
person that he was a short
time. He is still laboring un-
der hallucination that he is the
of a plot.

asked about his spiritual self
and that no one could do him
before the departure of the
he asked that some minister
him, but he really believed
would never live to see the
he was to be hung.

ated that his wife was now
ing a petition to have his sen-
tenced to life imprisonment,
would die before the people
come to his assistance.

man is not deep enough to
eriously, and has become so
able within the past several
at Sheriff Ramsey and Jailor
have been compelled to remove
stairs to keep him from worry-
other prisoners confined in the
before this move he would
wake all night and talk and
the other men, but most of
he would lay on his cot and
sally break out with violence
his fellowman.

unfortunate man seems to be in
and claims that he has eaten
little and slept less lately. He
feels his weakened condi-
tion he is not the man by a great
at he was when he was seen
court room during his trial.

Baby Show in Gainesville

and have many contestants; but
to say that the healthiest ba-
bly win the prize. No baby
healthy who suffers from
and most babies do unless
re kept free from them with
Cream Vermifuge. Acts
yet mildly—is its own purga-
tives, don't attempt to raise
n without White's Cream
uge. Price 25 cents. Sold by
Johnson.

Enlarging the Limit.

are very foolish, Alfred. That
third cigar, and you know the
limited you to one a day."
dear, but I've consulted two
doctors, and each has allowed
e cigar a day; total, three?"

any person has two educations—
which he receives from others and
more important, which he gives
f.—Gibson.

For Constipation.

L. H. Farnham, a prominent
et of Spirit Lake, Iowa, says:
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d them agreeable and pleasant
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The secretions are dark, contain a
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ful.

Backache is constant day and night,
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kidneys were disordered for some
time and I could find nothing that
would relieve me. My back ached
constantly and I was subject to sick
headaches, dizzy spells and chills. I
had a constant feeling of lassitude and
the least exertion tired me. I read
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that I decided to give them a trial and
procured a box. This remedy drove
away all pains and aches and I am to-
day in good health."

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Moor never walks when he can ride
and never by any chance gets off to
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walks enforced on tired men by well
meaning cavalry colonels in South Af-
rica! He would have said to himself:
"I don't think much of animals that
can't carry fifteen stone fifteen hours a
day. I must be a really superior kind
of beast." The Moorish (and Goulmer)
horse always spends his nights in the
open. He is never groomed or clip-
ped. His youth is passed wandering
untended over the vast fields. When
in work he gets all the barley he
wants at night and a drink before his
feed in the evening. From 7 a. m. to 7
p. m. he expects to work and to work
hard without bite or sup. His saddle
is a wooden tree superimposed on at
least half a dozen folded blankets, the
thickness of which often reaches six
inches, and he never gets a sore back.
—London Spectator.

He Got the Ticket.

"Seamen's return" tickets are issued
by most British railways at seaport
towns to sailors at reduced rates. A
rather well groomed young man de-
manded one to Birmingham; the book-
ing clerk at Hull demurred.

"Seamen's returns" are only issued
to sailors," he snapped.

"Well, I'm a sailor," was the reply.
"I have only your word for that,"
said the clerk. "How am I to know it
is correct?"

"How are you to know?" came the
answer. "Why, you leather necked,
swivel eyed son of a sea cook, if you
feel my starboard boom running foul
of your headlights you'll know I've
been doing more than sit on a stool
bleating all my life, and you'll haul in
your jaw tackle a bit."

"Give him the ticket," said the pas-
senger superintendent, who had over-
heard the dialogue; "he's a sailor, right
enough."—London Scraps.

People past middle life usually have
some kidney or bladder disorder that
saps the vitality, which is naturally
lower in old age. Foley's Kidney
Remedy corrects urinary troubles, stim-
ulates the kidneys, and restores
strength and vigor. It cures uric acid
troubles by strengthening the kidneys
so they will strain out the uric acid
that settles in the muscles and joints
causing rheumatism. J. W. McCollum
& Co.

His Mean Way.

"Henry asked you if you had made
that cake, did he? Well, what was
there in that to wound your feelings
child?"

"It was the—the way he said it,
mamma. He—he didn't ask me if
I'd made it. He—he said, 'Darling,
did you perpetrate this cake?'"
Chicago Tribune.

Mr. F. G. Fritts, Oneonta, N. Y.,
writes: "My little girl was greatly
benefited by taking Foley's Orino
Laxative, and I think it is the best
remedy for constipation and liver
trouble." Foley's Orino Laxative is
best for women and children; as it
is mild, pleasant and effective, and is
a splendid spring medicine, as it
cleanses the system and clears the
complexion. J. W. McCollum & Co.

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Now on exhibition in the windows of J. S. Bodiford &
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Ladies desiring to attend the sale can phone 134
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If not, go with us and look at this desirable colored
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Wednesday Morning, April 14, at 10:30

These lots will also be sold at auction, and you
know there is no better investment than colored prop-
erty. It pays big returns on your money.

You can Positively Buy These Lots at your own Price

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HTE PEOPLE THAT SELL A LOT A MINUTE

NEWS FROM ALL PARTS OF FLORIDA

Preparations are being made for the annual session of postmasters, which will be held in Ocala this year.

The South Atlantic League baseball season opens next week. The first game will be played in Jacksonville on the 15th.

A handsome new drinking fountain will be erected on the corner of West Fay and Jefferson streets in Jacksonville, by the S. P. C. A.

The strawberry season is closed at Lakeland, over 250,000 quarts being shipped from that point. The average price was about 20 cents per quart.

The County Commissioners of St. Lucie county have accepted the plans and specifications for the new court house and will advertise for bids. The contract will be let about the 17th of May.

Last Sunday afternoon, while the Electric pier was crowded with sight-seers and excursionists waiting for the steamer, which was approaching from Tampa to land, little Ruth, the two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Fuller, who lives over the bath house on the pier, was playing at the end of the dock, and by some accident she fell overboard into the bay. Instantly a well-dressed gentleman jumped into the bay after the child and in a few minutes restored her unharmed to the arms of her terrified parents. An effort was made to learn the name of the gentleman who saved the child from a watery grave, but in the excitement which followed he disappeared from view, and all efforts to secure his name failed.

Eminent Authorities Say

That out-door exercise is needed by the American people. That's all very well, but how can people with rheumatism follow that advice? The answer is very simple—use Ballard's Snow Liniment and the rheumatism will go, leaving you as spry as a colt. Gives quick and permanent relief from rheumatism, neuralgia, lame back. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Seeing and Thinking.

Most people see an object when they think of it. They can see before their eyes a geometrical drawing or the figures on a chessboard when they think of them. In order to this, all most men make use of images, though they may be of different kinds. Thus one man when he thinks of "Italy" sees just the printed word; another sees the country's outline on a map; another may see the country spread out before him, with its villages and towns. Psychologists are beginning to classify the different aids or images of which men make use. Some, for example, hear the words of their thought within themselves; others read them, as if the words were written generally in black on a white ground.—London Post.

A Healing Salve for Burns, Chapped Hands and Sore Nipples.

As a healing salve for burns, sores, sore nipples and chapped hands Chamberlain's Salve is most excellent. It allays the pain of a burn almost instantly, and unless the injury is very severe, heals the parts without leaving a scar. Price, 25 cents. For sale by all druggists.

Getting a Line on Prospects.

"Sir, I have a very personal business proposition to make to you, but before approaching that would you care to make a statement of your financial condition?"

"Certainly. I have been established in this business for more than twenty-five years, my yearly income is well into the hundreds of thousands and constantly increasing. I have unlimited credit and also have real estate valued at a couple of millions. Go ahead."

"That is quite satisfactory. Now, may I ask for the hand of your daughter?"—New York Herald.

Hicks' CAPUDINE Cures Sick Headache

Also Nervous Headache, Travelers' Headache and aches from Grip, Stomach Troubles or Female troubles. Try Capudine—it's liquid—effects immediately. Sold by druggists.

Typewriter ribbons for sale at this office. The best on the market. Only seventy-five cents. All colors and for use on all standard machines.

The Word "Person."

General Benjamin F. Butler, it is said, once asserted that a woman was not a "person," and a London suffragette insists that the word "person" in its legal sense includes woman. The word has had an interesting history. Signifying by etymology something to make a sound through, the Latin "persona" began by meaning an actor's mask with its mouthpiece. Then it meant the character represented by the player—"dramatic personae." Then it came to mean the part or character one sustains in real life, and so the "persona ecclesiae," the man who represented the church, he was known as a "person" in a special sense and was eventually spelled as "person." On the other hand, "person" is derived from the Latin "persona" and means a woman's face. And so, though a woman's face is not to be referred to as a "person" in a dramatic sense, yet when a woman is called a "person" it is the face of the female that is meant.—Chicago News.

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DEMOCRATIC PEERS.

The House of Peers Not One of Birth or Ancestry.

Strangely enough, the house of lords still remains the most democratic institution in England. It may still claim for itself to be the Witenagemot, or gathering of wise men, and one wonders why it does not defend itself along those lines.

It is not a house of birth or ancestry, for it is composed today to an overwhelming extent of successful men from almost every walk of life. No one cares a fig what a man's ancestry was in this matter of fact land if he succeeds, if he becomes rich and powerful.

The mother of the great Queen Elizabeth was the daughter of a plain English gentleman.

A pet girl of Westminster married the master of the pothouse. After his death she consulted a lawyer named Hyde. Mr. Hyde married her. Mr. Hyde afterward became lord chancellor, with the title of Lord Clarendon, and his wife, the former pot girl, bore him a daughter. This daughter married the Duke of York and became the mother of Mary and Anne Stewart, both afterward queens of England.

It is evident that if queens of England may have a barmaid for grandmother lesser mortals need not fret on the subject of ancestry.

The Englishman would not be what he is nor would he in the least be transmitting his very valuable Saxon heritage if he gave up his democratic custom of an aristocracy of power for the feeble continental custom of an aristocracy of birth. What the one and the other is today answers the question as to the relative merits of the two systems without need of discussion. The English, though nowadays many of them do not know it themselves, are the most democratic of all nations.

William the Conqueror divided England among the commanders of his army and conferred about twenty earldoms. Not one of these exists today, nor do any of the honors conferred by William Rufus, 1087-1100; Henry I., 1100-1135; Stephen, 1135-1154; Henry II., 1154-1189; Richard I., 1189-1199; or John, 1199-1216.

PRISONERS OF WAR.

Friendly Foes That Changed Places as Guests and Hosts.

A cheerful incident of the war between the states is told in "Mission Ridge and Lookout Mountain." The Third Ohio, under Streight's command, was en route for Richmond, prisoners of war.

One night they camped, worn, famished, with hearts heavy and homesick, near the place where a Confederate regiment, the Fifty-fourth Virginia, was stationed. Many of the southerners strolled over to the prison camp to see the sorry show of the poor, suppleless Yankees.

They did not stay long. Back to their own camp they hurried and soon returned with kettles of coffee, corn bread, bacon—the best they had and all they had. Presently little fires began to twinkle in the prison camp, and the aroma of coffee rose like a fragrant cloud of thank offering. Union guests and Confederate hosts mingled. The next morning the prisoners departed.

Now comes a happy sequel which well balances the affair. Later, when the prisoners were exchanged, the Third Ohio was encamped near Kelly's ferry, on the banks of the Tennessee. On the day of the storming of Missionary ridge among the prisoners taken were numbered the Fifty-fourth Virginia.

Some of the Third Ohio were on duty at the ferry when the prison detachments arrived.

"What regiment is that?" they asked. When told they started on the run, shouting as they went:

"The Fifty-fourth Virginia's at the ferry!"

They dashed into their camp with the news. The place was astir instantly. Treasures of coffee, bacon, sugar, beef, preserved peaches—everything was turned out and carried double quick to the ferry. The circumstances were the same, with the difference that guests and hosts had changed places.

Bishop Butler's Generosity.

So many examples of episcopal cupidity have been cited of late that the average reader may be excused for believing the bishop of a century or so ago to have been an incarnation of greed. But against the Luxmoires, the Watsons and the Porteouses may be set the saintly Butler, whose "Analogy" is still used as a text book for clerical examinations. Butler kept open house at Durham, where he dispensed hospitality with a lavish hand. On one occasion a man called at the palace soliciting a subscription for some charitable object. "How much money is there in the house?" asked Butler of his secretary. The secretary asked his subordinate what there was. "There is 100 lbs. of soap," replied the subordinate. "Is it a soap?" asked Butler. "Yes, it is a soap," replied the subordinate. "Is it a soap?" asked Butler. "Yes, it is a soap," replied the subordinate. "Is it a soap?" asked Butler. "Yes, it is a soap," replied the subordinate.

S.S.S.

CURES BLOOD POISON

Removing the symptoms is not all that is necessary to cure Contagious Blood Poison. The virulent germs which produce these outward manifestations must be completely driven from the blood before a real cure can be effected. The least taint left in the circulation will, sooner or later, cause a fresh outbreak of the trouble, with all the hideous symptoms of ulcerated mouth and throat, copper colored splotches, falling hair, sores and ulcers, etc.

Contagious Blood Poison is the most treacherous of all diseases.

It has its victims in its power almost before they realize its presence, because its first symptom is usually a little sore or pimple so insignificant that it does not excite suspicion. But the insidious poison is at work on the blood and in a short while the patient finds he is more or less affected from head to foot.

Contagious Blood Poison is too dangerous to trifle with. No time should be lost in ridding the blood of this destructive poison, and in no disease is it more important to have the proper remedy. Medicines which merely check the symptoms for a time and leave the real cause smoldering in the system have brought misery and disappointment to thousands. Faithfully the sufferers took such treatment, usually of mineral nature, and when all symptoms had disappeared and the treatment was left off, found the virus had only been shut up in the system awaiting a favorable opportunity to return, with every symptom intensified.

S. S. S. cures Contagious Blood Poison and cures it permanently. It goes down into the blood and removes every particle of the poison, makes the circulation pure and healthy, and does not leave the slightest trace of the disease for future outbreaks. S. S. S. is made entirely of roots, herbs and barks, all of which are healing and cleansing in their nature. It does not contain a particle of mineral in any form to injure the delicate parts of the system. S. S. S. will also drive out any lingering remains of mineral poison that may be in the blood from the former treatment. If you are suffering with Contagious Blood Poison S. S. S. will cure you, because it will purify your blood. Home treatment book and any medical advice free to all who write.

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OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

IS OF GENERAL INTEREST
ED BY SUN REPORTERS.

What Happened and What is Going to Happen—Personal and Social Items of the City.

votes at Phifer's.

votes Monday at Phifer's.

is something doing at Phifer's.

successful sales tomorrow at Ba-

funniest of all—"The Union

votes three more days at

day is last day to pay your wa-

on Depot" at opera house Tues-

your water rent Monday and

Uncle Joshua Hayseed at "The

Depot."

and bring your friends to the

at Phifer's.

Joe Gamlin shine your shoes

the Union Depot."

Ada Hague of Hague was shop-

in the city yesterday.

Phifer Bros., the original bargain-

have crowds. Get votes.

McGriff, marshal of High

was in the city Saturday.

or doses "666" will cure any

of Chills and Fever. Price 25c.

M. Haile and little son left yes-

ter for a short visit to Hawthorn.

ts are now on sale for "Union

" at Miller & Vidal's. Price 50c.

P. Thomas of Hague was trans-

acting business in Gainesville yester-

the oridial party just starting

their honeymoon at "The Union

ot."

J. Swearingen, the mill man of

apaha, was among the visitors to

city yesterday.

an Holly, the merchant, trucker

stockman of Arredondo, was in

city yesterday.

has, Ellis employs the only tail-

in town who can make the proper

rations on clothing.

P. Henderson has returned from

o, where he went to look after his

orchard interests.

Rehearsal of "Union Depot" caste

opera house Monday at 2 p. m.

o the doll and Indian drilla.

aponicas, Palms, Ferns and Shrub-

y; Pecan and Fruit Trees in va-

y. H. S. Graves, 'phone 179.

Plank's Chill Tonic is guaranteed to

chills, fever, colds and lagrippe.

ce 25c. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

See Chas. Ellis before you buy

your summer suits—he can save you

money. Located at 223 W. Main St.

Mrs. A. E. Voyte and little child

at yesterday for DeLand, where

they will spend a short while visiting

relatives.

Lost—A "few" customers because

they wouldn't credit them. Some times

loss is a gain. We'll keep the goods

and get the cash one. Salley & Co.

The big sale is now on at Phifer's.

Get votes.

Piano votes Monday and Tuesday

at Phifer's.

Pay your water rent Monday and

save \$1 fee.

Seats are being rapidly reserved

for the "Union Depot."

Rehearsal for cow-boy drill at 9

o'clock Monday morning.

Suits cleaned, pressed and repaired.

Chas. Ellis, 223 W. Main.

Come out and hear the widower's

proposal at "The Union Depot."

J. E. Futch has returned from a

brief business visit to Alachua.

Phifer Bros. sell dry goods, furni-

ture and everything at Racket prices.

Suits made from all-wool fabrics;

guaranteed to fit. Chas. Ellis, 223 W.

Main.

L. E. Story and wife of Windsor

were among the visitors to the city

yesterday.

Full dress rehearsal of caste for

"Union Depot" at opera house Monday

night at 7 p. m.

Elliott Stokes of Campville was

greeting his numerous friends in

Gainesville yesterday.

"The Union Depot" is undoubtedly

the funniest play ever given in Gaines-

ville. Don't fail to see it.

No job too hard for us in the way

of altering, cleaning and repairing

Chas. Ellis, 223 W. Main street.

S. H. Dempsey and daughter, Mrs.

J. T. Manning, have returned from a

pleasant visit of several days to Cedar

Key.

L. H. Hall, one of the progressive

citizens of Orange Heights, was trans-

acting business in Gainesville yester-

day.

Mrs. J. M. Tharin of Atlanta is

among the arrivals in the city and is

visiting the family of her son, D. H.

Tharin.

Mrs. S. G. Gay and children arrived

yesterday from Trenton and will

spend the next few days here visiting

relatives.

M. Venable of Archer, general man-

ager of the Archer Crate and Basket

Company, was transacting business in

the city yesterday.

Two for one—during the next three

days we will give two votes for ev-

ery penny that is spent with us for

shoes. Hyde & Tench.

Water Delinquents, Notice—Water

rents must be paid Monday. Without

further notice water will be turned off.

T. B. Ellis, Tax Collector.

Don't forget the date of Dr. Arm-

strong's coming—April 13th. Anyone

having eye or nervous troubles should

see him at the Brown House.

J. A. J. Strickland of Hague was in

the city yesterday. He states that

they are having an abundance of rain,

for which the farmers are thankful.

Miss Maude Lewis of Alachua arriv-

ed in the city yesterday to spend Sun-

day with her father. She is one of

the assistants in the Alachua school.

To laugh and grow fat is one way,

but 'tis better to get more to eat.

Salley & Co. will give you more for

the same money—but it's cash with

them.

There will be an art exhibit at the

residence of Dr. W. F. Yocum on

Friday afternoon and evening, April

16th, of which further mention will

be made during the week.

..REFRIGERATORS..

It will soon be time to
use one.

It is time NOW to
buy one.

ODORLESS

Is the one without
the odor. Keeps
things colder —
keeps ice longer.

It is a pleasure to
show them :

BAIRD HARDWARE CO.
PHONE SEVEN.

Pay your water rent Monday and
save \$1 fee.

Did you notice the crowds at Phifer's
yesterday? Get votes.

Everybody's going to see the "Union
Depot." Follow the crowd.

J. M. Shaw of Alachua was trans-
acting business in the city yesterday.

Miss Annie Lee McDonell of the Ar-
redondo school was among the shop-
pers visiting the city Saturday.

Piano votes at Phifer's Monday,
Tuesday and Wednesday, and then
what?—somebody gets a handsome pi-
ano.

Miss Elsie Smith, one of the assist-
ants of the High Springs school, ar-
rived in the city yesterday to spend
Sunday with relatives.

There is no doubt but what the
"Union Depot" is the funniest play
ever given in Gainesville. You'll re-
gret it if you don't see it.

W. F. Barry, one of the supervisors
of the Stokes school, was in the city
Saturday on business connected with
the county superintendent's office.

Take advantage of the votes the re-
maining days and anticipate your fu-
ture wants by buying shoes of Hyde
& Tench. Two votes for each penny
spent cash.

Conductor C. R. Carter of Citra
was a visitor to Gainesville yesterday.
His numerous Gainesville friends
deeply sympathize with him in the
loss of his wife.

W. T. Bodiford, the gentlemanly re-
presentative of the Southern Drug Com-
pany, with headquarters in Jackson-
ville, is spending a short while here
visiting his parents.

Jas. F. Smith, the photographer, will
leave this morning for Jacksonville to
spend a couple of days with his moth-
er and other relatives. He expects to
return to the city Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Russell of West-
field, Mass., left yesterday for their
home after spending the past winter
here with Mrs. M. A. Witt. This was
their first visit to the State but they
will hereafter be regular winter vis-
itors to this section.

Col. H. S. Chubb has returned from
Winter Park, where he has been visit-
ing his family for the past several
days. He reports that the condition
of his wife has greatly improved and
his many friends trust that she will
shortly completely regain her good
health.

Get a divorce if you're married to
a merchant who sells on credit, for
you certainly have to pay for what
the "dead beat" eats. Is it right?
Can you afford it? No? Well, what
are you going to do about it? Why
pay cash and save a big per cent.
Salley & Co., cash or no trade.

During the spring everyone would
be benefited by taking Foley's Kidney
Remedy. It furnishes a needed tonic
to the kidneys after the extra strain
of winter, and it purifies the blood to
eliminate the impurities from it.
Foley's Kidney Remedy imparts new
life and vigor. Pleasant to take. J.
W. McCollum & Co.

Seats are being rapidly reserved
for "The Union Depot."

Why does Phifer have such crowds?
Because he gives bargains. Get votes.

Why do you pay a big price for
goods? Because you don't trade at
Phifer's. Get votes.

Suits to order, alterations made,
cleaning and pressing. Chas. Ellis,
223 W. Main street.

P. M. Colson has returned from a
short business trip to points in the
southern part of the State.

Sanford Chamberlin, a trucker of
the Tacona section, was greeting his
numerous Gainesville friends Satur-
day.

Water Delinquents, Notice—Water
rents must be paid Monday. Without
further notice water will be turned off.
T. B. Ellis, Tax Collector.

Do It Now—It will pay you to be-
gin using Blue Ribbon vanilla ex-
tract today. It's absolutely pure, goes
white as far and the flavor is perfec-
tion.

To show we are not sleeping, we
will give you two votes for every pen-
ny that is spent with us, cash, dur-
ing the remaining days of the contest.
Hyde & Tench.

"The Union Depot," for benefit of
the U. D. C., will be produced at the
opera house on Tuesday night, April
13th, by 70 of our best local char-
acters. Prices 50 and 25 cents.

All who have purchased tickets for
"The Union Depot," to be presented
at the opera house April 13th, can
take their tickets to Miller & Vidal's
and have the seats they desire re-
served.

Better see me and get prices be-
fore having that granolithic sidewalk
built. Samples of my work can be
seen in this city and I refer to Craw-
ford & Davis, where all orders can be
left. Alfred Richardson.

Five-room cottage to rent on block
adjoining square, formerly occupied
by W. L. LeGrande; city water, elec-
tric lights, sewerage, bath, and all
modern conveniences. Apply to Mrs.
H. H. McCreary or Sun office.

When drummers travel 50 to 100
miles out of their way to get to a
hotel to spend Sunday, you can bank
on it being far above the average.
The Brown House is crowded with
commercial men from Fridays to Mon-
days.

If you have backache and urinary
troubles you should take Foley's Kid-
ney Remedy to strengthen and build
up the kidneys so they will act prop-
erly, as a serious kidney trouble may
develop. J. W. McCollum & Co.

There will be rehearsals of the
"Trades Extravaganza" at the opera
house tomorrow morning from 10 un-
til 12 and the entire afternoon. May-
pole children are requested to be there
promptly at 2 o'clock. All who are
in the Parisian model scene please
come at 10 a. m.

We often wonder how any person
can be persuaded into taking anything
but Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs,
colds and lung trouble. Do not be
fooled into accepting "own make" or
other substitutes. The genuine con-
tains no harmful drugs and is in a
yellow package. J. W. McCollum &
Co.

\$100 REWARD!—Lost, strayed or
stolen, a man about the size of a wo-
man, barefooted with a pair of wood-
en shoes on, pink eyes and sunset
colored hair, the latter cut curly and
the former cut darker. He wore a
corned beef overcoat with a sauer-
kraut lining, and had an empty sack
on his back containing a barrel of sky-
lights and one dozen assorted railroad
tunnels. When last seen he was fol-
lowing a crowd of 50,000 people who
were trying to enter the store of
C. A. Salley & Co. to take advantage
of their cut prices on everything in
the grocery line.

..WANTS..



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FOR RENT—One six-room and two
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electric lights, bath room and all
modern conveniences. Apply at this
office.

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FOR SALE—Pair of good mules and
wagon. Apply to Jeff Simon, in
front of Dutton's Bank.

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Fine upright "Steinway," used short
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A good square piano for \$75.

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Just think of the
kind of Horse or
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depend on finding
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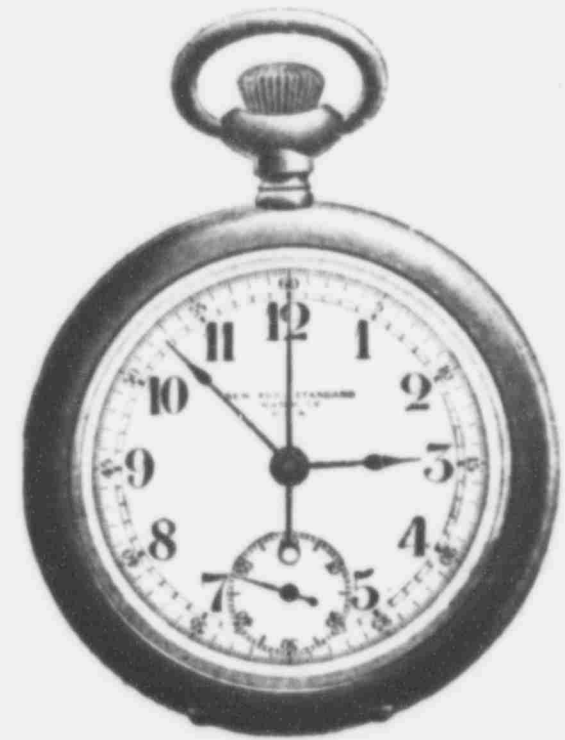
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We mark our goods in plain figures---we show their true value and the cut prices we offer on them. Competition realizes this, they attempt to disparage it but with no success. Our grand Big Store plunges ahead to victory and complete success, just as if we had no competition, and the facts are, we have none that can successfully compete with us. Our efforts have just fairly commenced. Our purposes will show each week and each day to be a stronger and better store, to be a shopping paradise if its possible.

To bring to you the great things that is manufactured daily for the large markets of the World, you will have them in Gainesville; just the same, just as quick, and cheaper than the large markets can afford to sell them. Our expense is less than one-half what the cost of selling is in New York or Chicago---our expense of selling in the magnificent store we occupy in Gainesville is less than most any small store. Its the volumn of business that counts, its the magnitude of our purchases and sales that reduces the cost of operation. Hence our success. Hence the opportunity you have to buy good, clean wholesome Merchandise at prices unparalleled. Our great Millinery Department grows---its doubling the record of former sales.

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The entire store is a revelation of the Beautiful Merchandise made in all parts of the world and sold here for less than any place else. You are welcome, and we invite you to visit our famous store, inspect the beautiful values we offer, purchase if its your desire. Of course, it will be our pleasure to have your patronage. If you purchase once, you'll come again, you'll bring your friend and neighbor and one and all will join the happy throng that assembles at

THE G. W. HYDE COMPANY'S STORE

HILL BLOCK, GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA

Watch the Windows this week every day, you'll find values the best and at one-half price---they may not be quoted in the papers most of the time, we are so busy we can't write an ad, and we'll save the time to mark down prices.